WEATHER
Snow tonight, probably changing to rain on Sunday

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Vital Spy Facts Promised

VINSON ACCEPTS WRIGHT PLANE. Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson (at rostrum), on behalf of the Smithsonian Institution, is pictured as he accepts the Wright Brothers' "Kitty Hawk" in ceremonies yesterday in Washington 45 years after its epoch-making flight. The plane hangs from cables just inside the main entrance. Behind it is Chas. Lindbergh's 'Spirit of St. Louis."

PREDICT DROP IN FOOD PRICES

Experts Anticipate Slight Decline, More Supplies, Greater Sales.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18—(AP)—Lower food prices in 1949 is the optimistic outlook today by the men who keep on top of the nation's food business.

Retailers and their suppliers and other authorities in the food industry expressed their opinions on what the consumer can expect in the way of prices and supplies next year.

They anticipate that prices will be slightly lower next year.

They also look for increased food supplies and greater sales. And the consumer can expect to find high quality food and improved service in the country's retail stores.

Many Views Expressed

Views on the food outlook for next year were expressed by officials in all lines of food including meat, dairy, poultry, fruit and groceries, as well as by the secretaries of agriculture and commerce. They were in articles appearing in the annual food industry review issue of the National Grocers Bulletin, official publication of the National Association of Retail Grocers.

The men who deal in food directly with the housewives—the retailers—and their suppliers said they believe prices will be more stable in the coming year and will be likely to decline slightly.

Charles Sawyer, secretary of commerce, in an article in the bulletin, said the nation's half million food stores are doing daily business in excess of $100,000,000 and that increased governmental attention will be given during the year ahead to the retailer's problems and those of his customers. Inflation is one of those problems, Sawyer believes.

Understand Danger

Sawyer wrote: "The dangers of inflation are well understood by the retail food merchant. His shop is usually the local point at which consumer dissatisfaction with high prices is most often felt. The retailer is the one who must pass on to the consumer all of the cumulative price increases that have taken place at each stage of production and distribution, reflecting the increasing costs of materials, supplies, transportation, labor and other items."

Charles F. Brannan, secretary of agriculture, said that more efficient marketing techniques for the abundance produced by America's farms will be the continuing objective of the department in 1949.

ANGLICAN PRIMATE'S SON WEDS CATHOLIC

LONDON, Dec. 18 (UP)—The oldest son of the primate of the Church of England was married today to a Roman Catholic artist, after signing agreements which are directly contrary to the beliefs of his father's church.

A simple, 20-minute ceremony in a Roman Catholic church in the Chelsea district of London united Henry Arthur Pears Fisher, 30, son of Dr. Goeffrey Fisher, Archbishop of Canterbury, and tall blonde Felicity Sutton, 26, a Roman Catholic artist.

It was one of the most amazing events, from a religious point of view, in recent years, and not even the typical British restraint with which London newspapers had treated announcement of the forthcoming marriage prevented a large and curious crowd from gathering outside the church.

Under the laws of the Church of England, the bridegroom's father, the Archbishop, was not permitted to attend the wedding. But there appeared to be no breach within the Fisher family as a result of it. Mrs. Fisher and the five brothers of the groom at-

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Seven Die as B-25 Crashes in Pasture

SHREVEPORT, La., Dec. 18—(AP)—Seven men were killed yesterday when a B-25 bomber nosedived into a pasture 75 miles southeast of here and exploded.

Witnesses said the explosion hurled wreckage over a four-acre area and dug a crater "as big as a car."

The public information office at Barksdale Air Force Base said the plane was enroute from Biggs Air Force base, El Paso, Texas, to Miami, Fla. Five airmen and two Navy hitchhikers were aboard.

Names of the victims will be released when the next of kin have been notified.

TOP SPEED NOT REACHED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—(AP)—The man whose company built the 1,000-mile-an-hour bell X-1 rocket plane says aircraft "two or three times" as fast are now possible. The engines needed for such speed are available, plane manufacturer Lawrence D. Bell said last night, and "stability and control at really high speeds already have been achieved."

PLEDGES FIGHT TO DEATH FOR PEIPING

NANKING, Dec. 18—(AP)—A fight to the death for Peiping was pledged in North China today, although strong belief persists that the historic city will be spared the agony of battle.

The promise came as Nanking's own position grew worse and a new peace story cropped up. This time in Hong Kong a foe of Chiang Kai-shek said peace was possible if Chiang Kai-shek is ousted "right away."

The pledge to defend Peiping was made by Gen. Fu Tso-Yi, commander in the north. Nationalists and Communists are fighting only three miles from the isolated city on the west. The Reds were reported thrown back on the east and south.

The Communists captured the air field seven miles south of Peiping. Four foreign correspondents with a Nationalist courier party, which arrived by plane Friday, were driven away from the field by gunfire when they attempted to return to Nanking today.

Associated Press correspondent Harold K. Milks, a member of the party, got within a mile of the field. He said the Reds held the airport control tower. The government had said the Reds were "wiped out."

There was a lull in the fighting closer to the city. Machinegun and mortar fire could be heard just outside the walls all day Friday, but by noon today not a single shot broke the silence. Trenches were being dug inside the walls.

Gen. Chu Hsi-Chun, governor of Hopeh province, announced in Peiping that the garrison of 150,000 men was opposed by 75,000 Reds and the city had plenty of food for a siege.

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NATIONALISTS IN RETREAT

PENGPU, China, Dec. 18—(A)—Nationalist armies were in full retreat southward today from the pierced Hwai river line 100 miles north of Nanking.

Communist columns were reported to have crossed the Hwai river in strength west of this pivotal point 108 miles northwest of Nanking.

CRACK DOWN ON "DIPS"

COLUMBUS, Dec. 18—(UP)—Detectives tightened their watch on downtown Christmas shopping crowds today after seven women reported pickpockets stole more than $425 from their purses while they were shopping. Police said that in each case reported during yesterday, the thieves took billfolds from purses hanging from the women's arms.

WEATHER REPORT

Noon Today	30
(For period between 8 a. m. yesterday and 8 a. m. today.)	
Maximum	37
Minimum	23
One Year Ago Today	
Maximum	35
Minimum	20

COURT TO HEAR FARM PROTEST

Conservancy District Judges To Hear Petition from Marion, Wyandot Counties.

A petition of Marion and Wyandot county residents seeking dissolution of the Scioto-Sandusky Conservancy district is scheduled to be heard by the 17 judge conservancy district court at its annual meeting Monday and Tuesday in Columbus.

The two-day annual meeting was called by the district directors for consideration of annual reports, court approval of appointments and review of progress being made on an official plan of projects to be undertaken by the 17 county district.

Hearing of the petition filed in 1947 by the Scioto-Sandusky Protest association will be one of the main matters to come before the common pleas judges.

60 in Group

A group of approximately 60 Wyandot and Marion county property owners aroused over the possibility that the district may still contemplate construction of the previously proposed "Summit Level Diversion Reservoir" in the Killdeer section of southern Wyandot and northwestern Marion county, filed for dissolution of the district.

They claim plans for a huge reservoir linking the headwaters of the Sciotoand Sandusky rivers in a dual control flood and conservation measure were way out of line with benefits to be derived. District officials have assured them no immediate plans are brewing for such a project, admitting that engineering surveys disclosed that costs would outstrip the benefits.

Want Action Delayed

The protest groups, it was reported, will seek to have hearing of their petition continued until such time as the district completes its official plan of proposed projects, under development for the past two years.

Decision was reached at a recent meeting of the association held at the Tymochtee Grange when members were advised to hold off until the conservancy district completes its outline of what it intends to do.

Lewis Anderson, of near Morral heads the protest group with Emerson McKelvey of near Marion as secretary and LeRoy Anderson of near Meeker as treasurer. Lloyd S. Hale and David H. Sears of Wyandot county were instrumental in formation of the group. Their legal counsel is Russell C. Price, Upper Sandusky attorney and Wyandot county prosecutor.

Many City Churches To Mark Christmas Season Tomorrow

By ELAINE BALLINGER

Christmas Sunday tomorrow will be observed in many Marion churches with special programs, the universally loved music of the nativity season, and music especially prepared to proclaim the joy of a savior's birth.

Plays and pageants, pantomimes, cantatas, and other forms of dramatic and musical expression will be presented in settings of either Bible times or of the modern day, but all will center on the theme of God's love for man demonstrated in the gift of Christ, his son, and of the spirit of Christmas. Colorful costumes and myriad lights will add to the significance of the presentations. Children will be prominent in the various programs. There will be treats for small children with Santa Claus officiating. Bright Christmas trees will gleam in the galaxy of decorative symbols of the season. Some congregations will give special white gift offerings for needy and less fortunate peoples.

Christmas activities of groups and organizations will continue throughout next week. One church will have a nightly display of "living scenes" of the Christmas story. Traditional Christmas eve services have been planned for next Friday night by several congregations.

Christmas Tea

A special event of First Presbyterian church tomorrow afternoon will be a Christmas tea for mothers and children of the beginners department from 3 p. m. until 5 in the recreation room of the church.

Children will present a pageant at Wesley Methodist church tomorrow at 4 p. m. A pageant will be given at the Salvation Army corps Christmas party Monday night.

Children's programs have been set by First Presbyterian church for the Sunday school hour; Salem Evangelical and Reformed, Sunday school hour; Emanuel Lutheran, First Evangelical and Reformed, and St. Paul's English Lutheran, all 7:30 p. m., Maranatha, 10:15 a. m., Second Pilgrim Holiness, Sunday school hour and First Church of the Brethren, Thursday night.

White gift services will be held tomorrow by First Presbyterian church at the Sunday school and morning worship hours; Trinity Baptist, Church school hour; Epworth Methodist tomorrow night, in connection with a pantomime presentation; First Evangelical and Reformed, tomorrow night, with children's playlet, and Salem Evangelical and Reformed and Emmanuel Baptist, both tomorrow night.

Story of Christmas

Slides of the Christmas story, reproductions of masterpieces, will be shown at two churches tomorrow, in the adult department of Calvary Evangelical United Brethren Sunday school, with background of recorded music, and at an evening service of First Church of the Brethren presented by Rev. and Mrs. David E. Schnable of Forest Lawn Presbyterian church.

Cantatas will be given by choirs of Epworth Methodist church, "The Coming of the King," tomorrow morning at the worship hour; Trinity Baptist, "The Adoration," morning worship; "Songs of the Holy Night," morning worship hour; First Church of the Brethren, tomorrow morning, and Forest Lawn Presbyterian, tomorrow night, both "Chimes of the Holy Night" and Second Pilgrim Holiness, "They Found the Child," Monday night.

Music will compose a major part of the Christmas program by the Church school of Prospect Street Methodist church tomorrow at 10 a. m., with a "Living Christmas Tree" feature. Musical and visual aid presentation of "Why the Chimes Ring," is set for the Salvation Army at 7:30 p. m.

Plays will be given tomorrow night by Epworth Methodist church, "White Christmas;" Calvary Evangelical United Brethren, "A Christmas Carol;" Salem Evangelical and Reformed, "The Other Shepherd;" Oakland Evangelical United Brethren, "The Search for the Christ Child;" Greenwood Evangelical United Brethren, "The Glory of the Lord," preceded by

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Rail Unions To Study Findings

Will Meet Monday To Consider Presidential Board's Suggestions.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18—(UP)—Union representatives of 1,000,000 non-operating railroad workers will meet here Monday to consider a presidential fact-finding board's suggestions for settling their dispute with the nation's railroads.

About 1,200 officials of the 16 unions involved in the dispute are expected to attend the meeting which will run through Tuesday.

Unless the workers accept the fact-finding board's proposals, a national railway strike is likely after Jan. 17.

The board recommended yesterday that the railroads institute a 40-hour week, instead of the present 48 hours work week, and grant the workers a seven cent hourly pay boost.

The work week reduction would go into effect next September. The pay boost would be

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County Raises Fund To Feed Europe

Approximately $2,000, realized from contributions of either corn and soybeans or actual money, has been collected in Marion county from donations by farmers and other residents of the county to be included in the Ohio Food Train which will be assembled during the Christmas holidays as a part of the Christian Rural Overseas Program.

This report was made by Floyd Uncapher, Marion county CROP chairman, at a meeting of the Marion county committee Friday night at the YMCA.

Money equivalent to the bushels of corn or soybeans donated is sent to the state CROP office with the local committee designating what is to be purchased with the funds. The Marion county committee has made temporary plans to have soybeans purchased with a large percentage of the total contributions as they believe the soybeans can be used to a greater advantage in Europe and the needy countries.

One of the many gifts which helped to make up the $2,000 was a contribution of 100 bushels of corn from one large Marion county farm, with the amount of money obtained from the donation going into the county contribution total.

A state dedication service of a crib of corn which was assembled on the grounds of the state CROP Office last week in Columbus will be held Sunday at 2:30 p. m. in charge of Frank N. Farnsworth, Ohio director of agriculture. This service is being held before the corn is sent to the elevator on Monday where it will join the contributions of farmers all over Ohio and then be shipped to Philadelphia in carload lots.

Attending the dedication service from the Marion county CROP committee will be Floyd Uncapher and Dr. Henry W. Schaeffer, co-chairmen. Dr. Schaeffer will pronounce the benediction at the service.

On Dedication Program

Principal feature of the dedication will be a brief message by

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Derailed Train Runs Half Mile on Desert

OGDEN, Utah, Dec. 18—(AP)—The westbound streamlined train "City of San Francisco" was derailed five miles west of Lakeside, Utah, last night but none of the 240 passengers was seriously hurt.

Thirteen of the 15 cars on the speeding luxury train left the rails and ran for half a mile across the flat desert just west of Great Salt Lake.

All of the cars remained on their wheels and they came to rest still in a straight line.

The derailment occurred in a snowstorm at 10:40 p. m.

ROSES IN THE ALPS

PARIS, Dec. 18—(AP)—France is having one of her warmest winters on record. Roses are blooming in the Alps near Grenoble. A newspaper said yesterday that only four of 16 French winter resorts had snow.

TAFT WILL FIGHT LABOR LAW REPEAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—(AP)—Senator Taft (R-Ohio) served notice today he will fight any administration attempt to repeal the Taft-Hartley labor law.

Taft said President Truman's demand for outright repeal is "a peculiar way to go about it." The Taft-Hartley law, he said, incorporated features of the original Wagner act.

He said he doesn't see how the new law can be repealed without also wiping the Wagner act off the books. Mr. Truman and labor leaders have urged repealing the Taft-Hartley law passed by the Republican-controlled congress in 1947. In its place, pending a study of possible changes, they have urged reinstatement of the old Wagner act which was in effect until August, 1947.

If repeal is attempted, Taft promised Republicans will make a fight to save Taft-Hartley pact provisions.

Wherry (R-Neb) predicted earlier that senate Republicans will present a unified and a "progressive front" in the new congress.

He told a reporter he believes the GOP members will settle their leadership problems without an open squabble. There are three top posts open—floor leader, policy chairman and head of the conference of all Republican senators.

CROP VOLUME IN 1948 TOPS ALL RECORDS

Fine Growing Season, Better Farm Practices Combine for Banner Year.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—(AP)—Farmers wrote 1948 into the books today as the banner crop year of them all.

They combined a fine growing season with improved farm practices to set numerous records, both for total production and yield per acre.

In its annual summary, issued yesterday, the agriculture department placed the total volume of all crops at 137 per cent of the 1932-33 base—11 points above the previous high of 126 set in 1946.

In the wake of the final report on 1948 crops, the department got ready to issue Monday its first forecast for 1949 on winter wheat.

There are indications that it might foretell the largest wheat crop in history. Reports from the nation's breadbasket have indicated that farmers are increasing their acreage of winter wheat on the assurance that the government will support prices at 90 per cent of parity.

(Parity is a price formula designed to be equally fair to the farmer and consumer.)

Corn Leads Output

Corn, most important of the grain crops in producing high quality steaks and pork chops, led the 1948 record output with a final production figure of 3,650,548,000 bushels. This compares with the relatively small 1947 crop of 2,383,970,000 bushels and exceeds the previous record (1948) by about 12 per cent. The yield per acre (42.7 bushels) is six bushels better than ever before.

Also in the record crop class are flaxseed, soybeans, peanuts, rice, pecans and cranberries.

This year's wheat production (1,288,406,000 bushels) was exceeded only in 1947. Others in the near-record group are oats, sorghum grain, potatoes, dry beans, popcorn and citrus fruits.

Above average crops of hay, cotton, barley, tobacco, sugarcane, hops, grapes, cherries and apricots were harvested.

Crops which fell below average production included rye, buckwheat, dry peas, sweetpotatoes, sugar beets, apples, pears, plums and prunes.

The combined tonnage of the 25 commercial truck crops produced for the fresh vegetable market was larger than any other year with the exception of 1945 and 1946.

Ohio Estimates

The agricultural department yesterday estimated Ohio's corn crop this year at 215,924,000 bushels and the wheat crop at 57,648,000 bushels.

The indicated acreage harvested, yield per acre and production, respectively, of important crops in Ohio:

Corn — 3,891,000 acres; 58.5 bushels per acre and production 215,924,000 bushels.

All Wheat—2,353,000 acres; 24.5 bushels per acre and production 57,648000 bushels.

Winter wheat—2,353,000 acres; 24.5 bushels per acre and production 57,658,000 bushels.

Oats—1,202,000 acres; 45 bushels pere acre and production 54,090,000 bushels.

Soybeans for beans — 908,000 acres; 20.5 bushels per acre and production 18,614,000.

Tobacco — 18,200 acres, 1,160 pounds per acre and production 21,330,000 pounds.

Sugar beets — 13,000 acres, 12 tons per acre and production 156,000 tons.

Apples commercial crop (production only)—1,936,000 bushels.

Potatoes — 23,000 acres; 180 bushels per acre and production 4,140,000 bushels.

All Bans Against Use Of Oil May Be Lifted

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—(AP)—The government soon may lift all bans against the use of oil.

Unless there is a serious emergency, one official said, there should be plenty of petroleum for everybody this winter.

"Mild weather has accounted in part for the improved supply outlook," Robert E. Friedman, acting director of the interior department's oil and gas division, told a reporter. "The shipping strike also prevented consumption of large amounts of oil.

"But even without these factors there would have been enough oil to meet a normal demand."

CUT FUEL OIL PRICE

CLEVELAND, Dec. 8—(UP)—Standard Oil Co. announced today that it will cut the price of fuel oil a half cent a gallon, effective Monday. A. A. Stambaugh, vice president, said the drop will bring the price of No. 1 heating oil to 14 cents and No. 2 oil to 12½ cents. Other companies in this area are expected to follow Standard's action.

CROWNS "MISS U.S.A." Selected from 3,000 members of the United Nations Girls' Organization, Miss Dorothy Burks is crowned "Miss United States" by Maj. Gen. William H. Arnold, President of the U.N. girls' group. Miss Burks was awarded the title during ceremonies in Washington at which she was acclaimed for outstanding services in World War II and patriotic drives.

RUSS RETURN 6 BRITISHERS

Frontier Incident Settled but Squabble Over Radio Berlin Continues.

BERLIN, Dec. 18—(AP)—A British-Russian frontier incident appeared settled today, while the squabble over radio Berlin went on.

Six British soldiers, held by the Russians since a border clash Wednesday, were returned last night. A seventh, Pvt. Charles Knill, who was shot in the chest in a discussion after one Briton was detained for crossing the zonal border on a rabbit hunt, is in a British zone hospital at Duderstadt. Officials at Bad Oeyhausen announced Knill is improving.

Gen. Sir Brian Robertson, British military governor, described the incident as regrettable, but of no great importance.

In Frankfurt, U. S. Gen. Lucius D. Clay commended the French for blowing up the towers of Soviet-controlled radio Berlin. The towers stood near Tegel air field in the French sector and their destruction kept the Communist mouthpiece off the air 12 months.

"I am grateful to the French for their action in removing a real source of danger to our pilots on the airlift," Clay told newsmen.

Asked if he cared what the threatened Soviet retaliation might be, Clay replied "No."

The Russians were still mad about the incident, however.

The Soviet military administration denied through its official news agency that the French had asked it to remove the towers of radio Berlin before they were demolished Thursday.

The French blew up the structure after describing them as a menace to airlift planes landing at Tegel airport. They said they had told the Russians last month the towers were to be removed, but the Soviets ignored the notice.

East-West differences threatened to make it a slim yuletide for Germans in the Russian area.

A new Soviet-American disagreement has blocked delivery of more than 50,000 Christmas gift parcels to Germans in the Soviet zone and American officials said they will not send any more railway cars to Soviet-occupied Germany, because the Russians don't return them.

NEWSPAPER PLANT BURNS

LA SALLE, Ill., Dec. 18—(AP)—An early morning fire today reduced the two story newspaper plant of the Daily News-Tribune to a one-story heap of smouldering debris. Causing damage unofficially estimated at $500,000, the blaze destroyed the recently modernized newspaper building in the heart of the business district.

FORMER RED TO DISCLOSE INFORMATION

Agrees To Testify Monday in Closed Session of House Committee.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—(UP)—Congressional investigators said today a former Communist has agreed to disclose "vital information" on Soviet espionage if guaranteed protection against reprisals by his ex-comrades.

The former Communist will appear Monday before a closed session of the house un-American activities committee. He was not identified. Members said his name will not be released until Monday.

Committee members explained that they will serve the ex-Communist with a formal subpoena. This, they said, will guarantee him FBI protection under a law that makes it a criminal offense to injure a witness who has testified before a congressional committee.

The witness obviously was one interviewed in New York yesterday by Rep. John McDowell, (R), of Pennsylvania. McDowell, however, refused to affirm or deny the story.

The committee originally had arranged to hear former assistant Secretary of State Francis B. Sayre and his secretary Anna Belle Newcombe on Monday. But it was indicated that their testimony would be set aside in favor of the ex-Communist.

Search for Red "Boxcars"

The house spy investigators were embarked on a search to learn how the Communists slipped people into the government.

"We have established the fact that there was espionage in the government," said acting chairman Karl E. Mundt, (R), of South Dakota, of the house un-American activities committee. "But we still lack a clear picture of how the Communists set up their rings."

Rep. Mundt said the committee plans to get "the facts" from two ex-Communists who served as "couriers" for spy rings—Whittaker Chambers and Elizabeth T. Bentley.

What They'd Like To Know

"We want to find out how they made their contacts; how they kept them covered up," he said. "We need that information if we want to guard ourselves against future espionage."

Rep. Mundt said that he and Rep. Richard M. Nixon, (R), of California, may go to New York next week to interview Chambers and Miss Bentley.

As Rep. Mundt outlined the committee's plans, there were these other developments in the spy case:

▶Attorney General Tom C. Clark indicated he would ask the new congress to tighten present espionage laws. He suggested extending the period in which persons can be tried for espionage, and legalizing wire-tapping "under proper restrictions."

▶Rep. John McDowell, (R), of Pennsylvania, of the house un-American activities committee said he had uncovered some "highly important" new information in New York which will be followed up immediately.

▶The house committee released the last batch of "spy papers" which Chambers claims he got from former state department official Alger Hiss. The papers indicated the spy ring had access to top level diplomatic exchanges, as well as messages within the state department.

May Question Sayre

Rep. Mundt said the un-American activities committee may hear former Assistant Secretary

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Mrs. Chambers Accused In Traffic Death

BALTIMORE, Dec. 18—(UP)—Mrs. Whittaker Chambers, wife of the former Communist spy courier, was permitted to continue free on $1,000 bond today, pending a formal hearing on charges of "causing the death" of an elderly woman in an automobile accident.

Mrs. Chambers, 48, appeared before Magistrate Reuben Colpisa, who ordered the hearing continued on the charges until the state's attorney sets a formal hearing date. Her bond of $1,000 was continued.

Whittaker Chambers did not accompany his wife to the courtroom. Her attorney was with her.

Mrs. Chambers was arrested last night in connection with the death of Mrs. Maggie Thomas, 76, of Baltimore. Police said Mrs. Chambers' car struck the other woman at a downtown intersection late yesterday.

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ONE COUNTY ROAD STILL UNDER WATER

Flood Threat Passes in Most of State.

Ma[illegible] floods threats in Ohio had apparently passed today but at least 11 highways were still closed because of high water including state route 203 between Neuman's and Prospect in the southwestern part of Marion county

State route 95 between LaRue and Marion was free of water for the first time in several days, the state highway department reported

A county engineer's office spokesman said two county roads still were flooded in the western part of the county. Walter Fetter, county road supervisor was busy today removing flood marker signs from other county roads where the high waters have receded

A weather bureau forecast reported by the United Press predicted cold weather followed by snow tonight, probably changing to rain in the south and central portions of the state tomorrow

The rain swollen Ohio river began receding at East Liverpool after attaining a crest of 29 3 feet, three feet below flood stage Only minor flooding occurred in low lying areas along the Ohio, the report concluded.

Chicago Baby Shower Culminates in Riot

By The United Press

CHICAGO — Before a baby shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs Carlos Garvey ended there were:

Eight police squads on the scene, two patrolmen in the hospital, two members of the party in jail.

Police were called to quell an argument that sprang up during a card game after the shower. They were greeted with blows and a flying bottle. Additional squads rescued the police and arrested the host and his son.

LOTS OF BREAKFAST NOISE

By The United Press

ALAMOGORDO, N. M. — Officials of the Otero county fair agreed they couldn't have thought of a better way to assure a heavy turnout at the kickoff breakfast opening the fair. At 6:30 a. m., one hour before the community breakfast, Alamogordo broke loose in a deafening uproar. Police cars roared through the streets with sirens going full blast, the fire siren was cranked vigorously and every bell and whistle in town rang out. Alamogordo turned out enmasse for the breakfast.

DESERTED IN TAVERN. Unaware that they have been abandoned, Joseph, 5, and his sister, Helen, 3, smile cheerfully from a crib at the Newark, N J, City Hospital Saying that she was going Christmas shopping, their mother left them in a bar and did not return Police were seeking the parents

Need Swimming Pool, So Pastor Builds One

By The United Press

STAFFORD, Kan. — The Rev. Arlon Ebright is a pastor who can get things done, even to the building of a swimming pool

It's not a big pool—the base is 11 feet by eight feet—but it's a swimming pool and the youngsters are happy about it.

Ebright started with a slab of concrete 11 by eight feet, built originally as a base for an unsuccessful church air conditioner. He mentioned his idea to a lumber dealer. The latter donated cement blocks for the sides

Ebright collared a church worker who owned a truck He moved the blocks to the site. Masons, called for other work, saw the blocks and offered to build the pool.

Ebright wound the work up by installing a steel ladder and painting the junior-size pool.

DECISION ON JAPS COMING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—(AP)—The fate of 25 Japanese warlords rested today on a supreme court decision which Justice Jackson says will vitally affect this country's relations with the rest of the world. The court did not indicate when it will hand down its decision as it heard final arguments yesterday on the appeal of seven of the convicted Japanese.

Dutch Establish New Indonesian Government

THE HAGUE, Dec. 18—(AP)—The Dutch government issued a royal degree today providing for establishment of a new Indonesian government without the Indonesian republic.

The government said the degree, called "regime of Indonesia in the transition period," aims at the establishment of a government for all Indonesia (The Netherlands East Indies) which in Dutch opinion is closest "to the wishes of the great majority of the Indonesian people"

(The United Nations good offices committee in Indonesia announced it had cabled to the security council in Paris a special report on the latest exchange of correspondence between the two groups)

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ter ded One of them Humphrey Fisher, was best man

The parish priest, Rev A De Zuluetta, performed the Roman Catholic ceremony outside the altar rails of the Church of the Holy Redeemer before an audience of about 30 persons all of whom were screened carefully by two of the archbishop's sons who stood at the doors of the church.

Newspapermen and others who approached the church were told politely that the wedding was strictly "a purely private affair"

The bridegroom had not embraced the Catholic faith, and therefore the marriage could not be performed at the high altar

But he had signed before the service a declaration promising that any children of the marriage would be reared in the Roman Catholic faith He also formally declared that he would not take his wife to Church of England services and that all god-parents of his children would be of the Roman Catholic faith

After the religious ceremony the couple signed the usual legal documents required in any British wedding in the presbytery, under direction of S G Marsh, superintendent of the Chelsea registry.

As they emerged from the church, police had to intervene to keep the crowd back.

After posing for photographs, the wedding party drove to Miss Sutton's nearby studio flat for a reception.

Fisher and his bride were said to have known each other since childhood He is a well known and successful attorney, and served with distinction in the recent war, reaching the rank of colonel

The former Miss Sutton has had a number of paintings hung in the royal academy—the British sign of success for an artist—the first of them being placed there in 1945 It was entitled, "Jenny on Sunday Morning"

The name "Empire State" applied to New York dates back to 1784 when George Washington, after a tour of the state's harbors, waterways and fertile acres, called New York the Seat of Empire

EARLY DAY KITCHEN. This reproduction of a California kitchen of 1885 was one of displays at San Francisco show where antiques valued at $7,000,000 were exhibited

TELESCOPES PROBE SECRETS OF MAR

By International News Service

LONDON — Powerful Russian telescopes equipped with various light filters are probing the secrets of the planet Mars

Moscow Radio in a broadcast monitored in London, announced the latest Russian discoveries made by Professor Gavriil Tikhov The radio claims that Tikhov is the founder of the new science of astrobotany

According to Professor Tikhov's report from Leningrad, Martian vegetation changes from green to light blue or blue, depending on the season of the year

The professor says this is due to the climatic peculiarities of Mars He points out that on earth a light blue tint is peculiar to certain plants growing in northern countries or on high mountains

Vegetation Greenish-Blue

He says the vegetation on Mars probably consists in the main of grass-like plants and creeping bushes of a greenish-blue color Some of them turn brown and dry up in the middle of summer while others preserve their greenish-blue color even in the winter

In the Polar regions of Mars, continues the report, where the sun does not set during half of the Martian year (the Martian year is nearly twice as long as an Earthian year), the temperature during this period stays constantly above zero

Professor Tikhov announced that a group of Soviet scientists under his direction will continue to collect data on the color of various formations on Mars and on the changes of color at various seasons.

In the semi-final match in the national tennis championship at Forest Hills, Jaroslav Drobny of Czechoslovakia and Richard (Pancho) Gonzales of California scored 43 service aces between them.

Recommend 5-Day Week For Busy Housekeepers

By ELIZABETH TOOMEY
United Press Correspondent

NEW YORK — Housewives should work a five-day week, get the housework done in the morning hours and not expect constant praise from their husbands for being good housekeepers.

So advises 63-year-old Mrs Pearl Cole Sherman in "The Bride's Primer."

After 37 years of married life, Mrs Sherman decided it was time she wrote down some of the free advice on housekeeping she was always handing out to young-married acquaintances, so she wrote her first book.

"Always get up in the morning ten minutes before your husband," she writes Two people trying to get into the bathroom at the same time is just one of the petty irritations that she believes can lead to major quarrels.

Reading the book, you get the idea that Mrs Sherman must have a motto framed and hanging over her kitchen sink that reads, "keep moving."

Advises Keep Going

She is a firm believer in doing the day's housekeeping chores as soon as the breakfast dishes are done, without taking time out to leaf through a magazine or sip a second cup of coffee.

"Keeping moving at the right pace is vital in successful housekeeping," she sternly advises brides. "These morning minutes are precious."

Mrs. Sherman doesn't mean that life should be all housework She has had time to take an active part in several community clubs and to learn to play golf with her husband, Ray. Her two children were born just a year and a half apart, but she insists that the bride who has learned her "keep-moving" lesson thoroughly can adjust her schedule easily when the baby arrives.

Besides general advice, Mrs Sherman includes plenty of details to help the helpless bride become an efficient homemaker. She reminds her that there are eight corners in every room.

How Not to Forget

"Four on the floor and four at the ceiling If you clean the corners of a room," the author continues, "you are pretty sure to clean the middle, but if you start in the middle you may forget a corner."

The weekly wash, done on Monday, comes in for more detailed comment Besides telling the novices which clothes go in the suds first, Mrs Sherman explains how they go on the line "Hang the shirts by the tail . . . undershirts by the shoulder seams . . . dresses by the shoulders, etc"

Tueday is ironing day, Wednesday is the day "to catch up on all the little jobs that keep a house shining"; Thursday the bedrooms and bath are cleaned, and Friday the living section of the house and the kitchen get a thorough cleaning That leaves the housewife free "for a two-day holiday with her family."

Mrs. Sherman is no dust-mop Amazon. She weighs only 115 pounds, but she claims all this housekeeping efficiensy is just part of a woman's job.

A hen eats about 40 cents worth of feed per month.

NO "SMOG;" MORE SUN

By International News Service

PITTSBURGH—The sun shined 39 per cent brighter in Pittsburgh last winter It wasn't that Old Sol had been neglecting the "Smoky City," but that's how successful the city's smoke control program was during the heavy-smoke period of October through February Even more startling, the bureau of smoke prevention reported there was no "smog" whatever in Pittsburgh last winter

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LATEST PORTRAIT photo of Mrs. Truman and daughter Margaret shows them in Blair House, temporary residence of the presidential family while White House is undergoing repairs

Cowpuncher, Age 6, Has His Own Cattle

By The United Press

CHEYENNE, Wyo. — Most Wyoming ranchers become proficient at cowboy chores at an early age, usually 10 or 15, but Fred De Witt Boice III has them beat by about five or ten years.

At the age of six, Fred owns his own cattle, is the youngest member of the Wyoming Stock Growers' Association, and even has his own brand.

The six-year-old, who is in his first year of school, was given the cattle by the original owner of the PO ranch 12 miles north of Cheyenne, Fred Boice, Sr The youngster is the fourth generation of the Boice family to live on the ranch.

He rides alone throughout the 22,000-acre ranch, and has taken part in more than one roundup.

SOAP PRICES CUT

CINCINNATI, Dec. 18—The Proctor and Gamble Co., announced today a reduction of "approximately 6 per cent" in the wholesale price of its principal household soap products. The reductions are the third this year and a company spokesman said they resulted from a decline in the price of fats and oils used in the manufacturing process.

The 1948-1949 hockey campaign will be the 23rd season of activity for the New York Rangers of the National Hockey league

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★Mo[illegible] Jewett [illegible] Trust [illegible] N Main —Ad

Charity Ball December 28

★Ros[illegible] Chapter [illegible] Red Cross Ball [illegible] Marion City Hall —Ad

Letter Service

★Mimeographing [illegible] typing June Wise 127 S State 8110—Ad

Youth for Christ

★Dec 18 7:45 Emmanuel Baptist church [illegible]. Workers Quartet of Youngstown, Ohio.—Ad

In Memory of

★My husband Ward E Burroughs [illegible] passed away two years ago December 19 1946
Beautiful to [illegible] your work all done
Beautiful soul into glory gone
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God gives thee rest
Rest from all sorrow and watching and fears,
Rest from all possible sighing and tears,
Rest through God's endless wonderful years
At home with the blest.
His Wife

Birth Announcements

Mr and Mrs Newton Blanton of 380 Silver street are parents of a daughter born yesterday at City hospital.

A son was born to Mr and Mrs James Johnson of 458 Cherry street today at City hospital.

Mr and Mrs Clarence W Thomas 601 East George street are parents of a daughter born last night at City hospital.

Twin daughters were born last night at City hospital to Mr and Mrs John Williamson of 897 Cheney avenue.

Mr and Mrs William D Hero of 237 Reed avenue are parents of a son born last night at City hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs Norman L Seiter of near Marion last night at City hospital.

Mr and Mrs Emmett Miracle of near Caledonia are parents of a son born today at City hospital.

Mr and Mrs Harry E Mauk of Ft Wayne, Ind., are parents of a son born Thursday at Lutheran hospital in Ft Wayne. Mrs Mauk is the former Miss Norma Birchem daughter of Mr and Mrs Lowell Davis of 578 East Farming street.

Card of Thanks

★We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors who were so kind during the recent illness and at the time of the death of our husband, father and grandfather, Mr Sherman Coulter. Also to the minister, singers and those who sent messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings. Also the undertaker and pallbearers.
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BUS HITS BRIDGE. This Gray Coach Lines bus is shown after it went out of control on slippery pavement and skidded up on the arch of a bridge, on the Lakeshore road, near Bronte, Ont., injuring four passengers. Force of the impact knocked the front undercarriage off. The driver was forced to climb out the emergency door. (AP Wirephoto)

City Hospital Report

Frank L Krosky of 570 Avondale avenue was admitted to City hospital yesterday for surgery.

Miss Charlene Oiler 16, daughter of Mr and Mrs Newton Oiler of 284 Uncapher avenue, is to undergo surgery. She was admitted yesterday.

Mrs Glenn Kindell of 1015 North Main street was admitted yesterday for surgery.

Mrs Orval Horn of 140 West Walnut street is to undergo an operation. She was admitted yesterday.

Curtis Brady of 586 Henry street was admitted yesterday for surgery.

William Leonard Young of 389 South Prospect street, owner of the Marion Paint Co, was admitted to the hospital yesterday to receive treatment for pneumonia. His condition is reported by hospital attendants to be "fair."

Moving Across the Street or

★Across the Nation Merchants Transfer & Storage. Dial 4282—Ad.

Attention Men!

★If you have no church home, you are cordially invited to meet with the Men's Class of Epworth Church on Sunday morning at 9:15. Good music, good fellowship, good teaching. Church Auditorium.—Ad.

Card of Thanks

★We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received from our many relatives, neighbors and friends during the long illness and death of our beloved wife. We also thank Rev. S C Long for his consoling words, the singers and accompanist, Miss Tillie Barkley, Dr. Axthelm and Schaffner-Denzer for their fine service and all others who helped in any way.
Dan Klingel and Family

Driver Arrested

Joseph J Steiner, 24 of 702 Meadow street was arrested at 11:35 a m yesterday on Mt Vernon avenue on a charge of speeding. He was released under $25 bond pending his appearance in municipal court today.

Sam Lee Laundry

★178 N Main Again open for business.—Ad

Dr Robert G. McMurray

★Has moved into new offices—Suite 7, over Woolworth's, 133 W Center St. Office phone 4137 Residence phone 7801.—Ad

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★Tuesday, 1 to 4 p m., at YMCA building. Free.—Ad.

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★Hours 9 a m to 5 p m, evenings 7-9 except Wednesday and Saturday. 292 East Center St. Dial 2539—Ad

Christmas Drama "Where is He?"

★At Caledonia Church of Christ Sunday 8:00 p m—Ad.

Sunday Program

Mrs Lester Firstenberger, soprano, and Robert Somerlot, tenor, will present a program of Christmas music on "Marion Entertains" at 1:30 p m. Sunday, over WMRN. The program is produced and directed by Griselda Davis Dombaugh.

A Cantata

★"Chimes of the Holy Night" will be presented in the Green Camp Methodist Church, Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.—Ad.

Wanted for Christmas

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★is reopened for business. 176 South Main St. Dial 9779.—Ad.

Red Cross Program

A Christmas story about a veteran named Charlie Miller will be presented on the weekly "Errand of Mercy" program at 11:45 a. m Sunday over WMRN, under the sponsorship of the Marion County Chapter of the American Red Cross and the broadcasting station. How a jigsaw puzzle helps Charlie, rescued from a Japanese prison camp, to remember who he was, where he came from and piece his life together. His first drawing of a window and the snow coming down proved to be the first piece in the puzzle.

The Inn

★At Mt. Gilead. Phone 4. Make reservations for Christmas parties now. We will be open all winter. Luncheons week days 11 to 3, dinners on week days 5 to 8. Sunday dinners 12 to 8. We will be closed Christmas day.—Ad.

Fish Sandwich Shop

★We'll be closed for three weeks starting Saturday night, Dec 18. Watch for opening date.—Ad

Hear Rev. Ernie Finkenbiner

★Next Sunday, 10:45 a m., 2:30 and 7:30 p m. at Maranatha Bible Church, Marion, Ohio. All Day Bible Missionary Conference.—Ad.

Tiny Tim

★Played by Danny Stull can be seen in Dicken's "A Christmas Carol" Sunday, Dec 19 at 7:30 p. m. and Monday, Dec. 20 at 8 p. m. at Calvary Evangelical United Brethren Church.—Ad.

Free Cancer Clinic

★Open 9:00 every Thursday morning. Make appointment for examination by calling 2227 from 12 to 1 and 5 to 6.—Ad.

Revival

★First Church of God, 432 N State St. Evangelist Harry M. Keeling of Ashland, Kentucky.—Ad.

Scrooge

★A miserly merchant has a change of heart as Ray Feever plays the part in "A Christmas Carol" Sunday, Dec. 19 at 7:30 p. m. and Monday, Dec. 20 at 8 p. m. at Calvary Evangelical United Brethren Church.—Ad.

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★Repairing, relining, cleaning. Lurye Furs, 199 W. Center. 2088. Ad.

Marion Man Leaves To Visit Scotland

Edward Robson of 598 Irey avenue left here Friday to spend a month in England and Scotland visiting friends and distant relatives. A native of England, Mr Robson has made a number of return visits to his home country. Mr Robson is making the trip by plane from New York.

WOUNDED BY SHOT

BUCYRUS, Dec 18—Cecil B Roberts, 47, Bucyrus, was admitted to Bucyrus City hospital Friday for removal of shotgun pellets from his cheek and the bridge of his nose. The accident occurred along the Pennsylvania railroad tracks near here when a gun carried by a hunting companion accidentally discharged. Roberts told hospital authorities. He was released from the hospital following treatment of the wound.

WORKERS GET $3,392 IN INCENTIVE CHECKS

CLEVELAND Dec 18 (AP)—Employees at the Lincoln Electric Co went Christmas shopping today with annual incentive payment checks averaging $3,392 per worker.

The company handed out a total of $3,821,973 yesterday to its 1,087 workers. It was the largest amount paid since the company started the unique plan back in 1934 and doubled the employes 1946 earnings.

Under the program a Lincoln spokesman explained all company proceeds are put into an incentive kitty after deductions for taxes, expenses, wages, dividends and reserve funds.

Workers shares in the kitty are determined by ratings made three times annually on a basis of quantity and quality of work performed and skill and cooperation shown.

Incentive bonuses last year totaled $3,800,000 for 1,133 workers.

J F Lincoln president of the company said the plan "has not only increased wages, but also has reduced the selling price of company products to less than half that of comparable products on the market."

The average product output per worker this year was $30,748, compared with $6,895 for employes of three other large electrical manufacturers, he said.

"If all industry should adopt a comparable incentive system," Lincoln added "and it was as of all people would be quadrucompany, the standard of living of all people would be quadrupled.

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Thursday	Dec. 23	9:30 to 9:00
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YOUR HOME TODAY AND TOMORROW

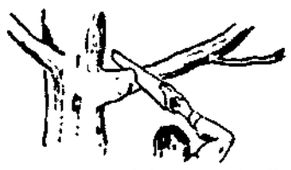
by W. Wentworth Wood

Guide for Winter Tree and Shrub Pruning

The average yard will have a few trees and shrubs which need occasional care. A tree should not be allowed to grow off branches and leaves in any direction, without some careful attention. Much of the damage done to good shade trees comes from the fact that heavy limbs are permitted to grow to such size that a bad storm may tear them off, and damage the bole or trunk of the tree so badly as to ruin it.

The ideal tree is well-shaped, symmetrical, and heavily leaved. It should not have branches which are to heavy for the trunk or that will present too great a surface for the wind to play against. Pruning is the answer.

As a rule all pruning and



trimming should be done in the winter while the sap is down and the tree dormant. All dead branches should be cut out, all over-weight limbs should be cut away, and an effort made to balance the whole tree system. Small branches which have sprung from the trunk below the heavier limbs, should be clipped off. If allowed to grow, they will give the tree a poor appearance.

After limbs have been cut, the stumps should be painted to prevent the sap bleeding. Holes should be filled with a plastic preparation to prevent rot and decay which may set up in an area unprotected by the bark of the tree. Trees should be topped, or kept from growing too high to a point where they present too great a surface to heavy winds.

The average shrub requires but a yearly clipping to keep it at the size wanted by the owner. Shrubs which are allowed to grow wild will develop long, thin branches, and will not be full and healthy. When they are finally cut down, there will be only a clump of leafless branches. Periodic clipping will encourage full and well-leafed shrubbery, and will add much to the general appearance of the grounds around the house.

Galion District Scout Committee Reorganizes

Special to The Star

GALION — Eric Brooke will again head the Galion District Boy Scout committee as its chairman. He was chosen Wednesday night at the reorganization meeting held at Senior High school.

Others chosen to serve with him are: vice chairman, Marion E. Shank; secretary, Walter Goshorn; treasurer, Clarence Myers, district comissioner, Robert E. Campbell; deputy commissioner for scouting, William Y. McCulloch; deputy commissioner for cubbing, Howard Nussbaum.

Ten To Answer First Hardin Co. Draft Call

Special to The Star

KENTON—Hardin county has received its first peace-time induction call. On Dec. 30, a group of ten men will answer the call and report for physical examinations to determine whether they will be inducted into the Army.

All men who will be called up for examination will be selected from those who have passed pre-induction physical exams.

FIRST AID TO AILING HOUSE

—By ROGER C. WHITMAN—

Dark Stained Doors

Q.: We are going to build a new home and have procured some good old lumber, also six interior doors which are as nice as new. But they have a dark stain or varnish which spoils their appearance. They are paneled and have a beautiful grain, but this dark finish spoils that. Is there any way to take off that color and get the light new wood color again? I want to have all the woodwork in the house a natural wood color and don't want to paint it.

A.: You can first take off the varnish and then bleach out the dark stain. Before starting to work, lay the doors flat on sawhorses or boxes. You can soften and then scrape off the varnish by the use of a varnish remover, which should then be thoroughly washed off, either with turpentine or with the special preparation provided by the manufacturer of the remover. Then bleach out the dark stain, either with a prepared wood bleach, obtainable at better stocked paint stores) or with oxalic acid crystals (poison) dissolved in denatured alcohol, or in hot water—as much as a given amount of the liquor will disolve. Apply the hot water solution hot, do not heat alcohol. Let this remain on the surfaces all night; then rinse well next day. If the wood roughens, smooth with sandpaper and dust off. Refinish with a clear top quality varnish. If you apply more than one coat, you might smooth the first one lightly with sandpaper and dust off.

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Foot Prints on Floor Wax

Q.: We have two rooms that have hardwood floors. These floors have been sanded, stained and waxed with a top quality floor wax. Every time someone walks across them you can see just where they stepped. What would you recommend doing to them?

A.: The trouble apparently is not in the good wax that you used, but in the way that you applied it. You probably put it on in a thick coat and did not polish it enough. Thick wax is hard to polish and usually is slippery under foot. I suggest that you get an electric floor polisher of polishing weight, and try to polish the floor thoroughly. If you cannot do so, you had better wipe off the wax with turpentine and then apply another very thin coat of the same kind of wax. Let it dry hard and then polish well.

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Attic Louvres Open or Closed?

Q.: We completed insulating our attic with a mineral wool last winter. We have four louvres in the attic. What should we do with them in winter and summer; should we keep them open or closed?

A.: If your insulation has been installed in the floor of the attic, the louvres should be kept open at all times for thorough ventilation. If the insulation is in between the roof rafters, keep the louvres closed in winter and leave them open in summer.

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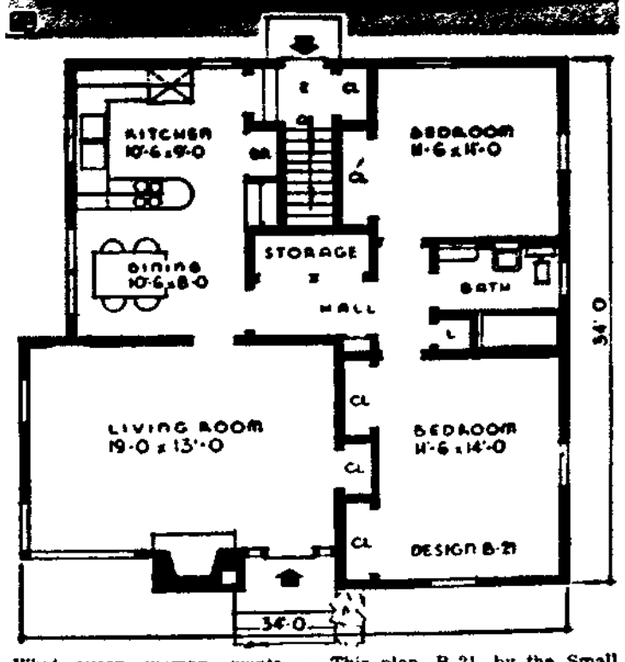
Mr. Whitman offers readers leaflets on a variety of subjects concerning home repair work. If you would like to have his leaflet, W-14, on Doing Over Natural Furniture, send 5 cents in coin and a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Roger C. Whitman, care of The Marion Star, P. O. Box 99, Station G, New York 19, N. Y.

HOMES FOR AMERICANS



What every woman wants—closet space—is featured in this house. In addition to large wardrobes in the bedrooms, there is a coat closet at each entrance, a broom closet and storage cabinet in the kitchen, a linen closet and large storage space off the hall. The latter is 6x3 ft., large enough for storage of such items as sewing machine and golf bags.

This plan, B-21, by the Small House Planning Bureau, St. Cloud, Minn., is adaptable for basement or slab construction. The cellar stairway space offers room for a heater. The house covers an area of 1,084 square feet, and with a 7'2" basement ceiling and 8'3" first floor ceiling, it has a cubic content of 22,690 cubic feet. These figures can be used for local estimates.

Your Good Health

By DR. HERMAN N. BUNDESEN

Disease Which Handicaps Victims.

Some diseases are important, not as threats to life but as handicaps to living. They cause such extreme discomfort and nervous irritation as to keep their victims in a state of dread, even when they are not incapacitated by recurrent symptoms.

One such ailment is Meniere's disease, in which there are periodic attacks of dizziness, accompanied or preceded by ringing in the ears, impairment of hearing, and often sickness at the stomach and vomiting.

Of late years, much study has been devoted to this condition and, as a result, we have what seems a likely explanation of the factors which operate to bring it about. It is believed that the attacks occur because of a sudden increase of fluid in what are known as the semi-circular canals in the inner ear. These structures seem to have something to do with the maintenance of body balance. The increased pressure of this fluid in the canals is due to a lessened absorption or taking up of the fluid, or an increase in the amount of fluid secreted. Just why these things happen, however, is not clear.

It has been suggested that the trouble may be due in some cases to allergy or oversensitivity; in others, to a disturbance of the balance between the amount of fluid and salt in the body and, in still others, to a possible upset in the nervous mechanism which controls the size of the blood vessels.

As I indicated earlier, this condition is not a fatal one, but the recurrent attacks may eventually produce a state of invalidism.

It is important that the patient be reassured concerning the condition and be made to realize that it cannot cause fatalities. It is not unusual for the disorder to clear up without treatment.

The use of quieting drugs, such as the barbiturates, is often helpful. A number of other measures have been employed which also seem to be helpful in treating Meniere's disease. One is the giving of injections, under the skin, of histamine, which seems to aid in those cases due to allergy.

Nicotinic acid, part of the Vitamin B-complex, when given by injection, tends to dilate the blood vessels, and has been found helpful in Meniere's disease.

The use of the salt-free diet, limiting the intake of fluids and giving potassium or ammonium salts three times daily, seems to correct the disturbances of the salt and water balance and has aided many patients.

If all of these measures fail and the symptoms are so severe as to disable the patient, operation may be required. This happens in about one out of ten cases. The operation consists in cutting certain parts of the nerve of hearing. It relieves the dizziness, sickness at the stomach, and vomiting, but the head noises may persist. Complete destruction of the inner ear is also effective, but such an operation causes complete loss of hearing in the affected side.

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Questions and Answers

Mrs. G.: I have been told that I have what is known as tuberculids. Would penicillin salve help this condition?

Answer. I know of no evidence that penicillin salve would help in this type of disorder. X-ray treatments and streptomycin are helpful in some cases.

Canada's newsprint production in 1946 was over five times that of the United States.

ENGINEERS FORM NEW SOCIETY HERE

To Serve as Link Between Civilian and Military.

A new organization which has as its primary objective the interests of national defense was organized Wednesday night in the officers club at the Marion Engineer Depot. The group, which will be known as the Society of Military Engineers, will foster the relationship between the engineering profession in civil life and the military service and provide opportunity for civilian and military personnel interested in national defense to participate in programs intended to broaden the intellectual outlook of the members in matters of public interest.

Membership in the organization is open to veterans and civilians who are interested in preparedness.

Colonel H. L. Robb, commanding officer at the Marion Engineer Depot, presided and presented the purpose of the organization, and Capt. John B. Weaver served as secretary. Plans were made to meet the second Thursday of each month. E. W. Lloyd was named chairman of a committee to arrange a program for the next meeting Jan. 13. Named to serve as a nominating committee were James M. Harty, Edward Groenger and Capt. L. W. Keith.

Don A. Howard, president of the Huber Manufacturing Co. and John Shannon, chief of the storage division at the depot, gave informal talks on the plans and expressed the opinion that such an organization would serve a valuable purpose in this area.

Members of the Society of Military Engineers and persons interested in affiliating with the local group are invited to attend the meetings. Information may be obtained from Captain Weaver at 188 South Main street or from Colonel Robb at the Marion Engineer depot.

Enrolled to date are the following: Col. Robb, Captain Weaver, D. A. Howard, J. H. Shannon, W. B. Slack, E. N. Sloan, R. F. Kirk, R. N. Sautter, W. R. Anderson, H. E. Webster, Capt. R. E. DaPrato, 1st Lt. J. D. Vaughn, E. W. Lloyd, R. J. Truka, E. Groeninger, W. Shaw, L. Harding, H. W. Duerr, J. H. Mills, M. K. Wick, R. A. Jones, W. W. Anderson, M. L. Wilson, A. E. Deter, J. M. Harty, C. P. Fischesser, J. Frederick, J. E. Bestick, A. C. Theobald, F. A. Thompson Jr. and Capt. L. W. Keith.

Approximately 6,500 Indians still live in New York state, on eight reservations where tribal customs are largely observed.

Former Galion Minister To Enter Mission Work

Special to The Star

GALION—A former rector of Grace Episcopal church, Galion, Rev. Paul B. Savanack will soon enter missionary service among the Orientals on the Island of Kauai, Missionary District of Honolulu, it has been learned here.

He recently announced his resignation as rector of the Church of the Incarnation, Cleveland, as of Jan. 15, 1949.

During the war Rev. Savanack was chaplain in the U. S. Army in the Pacific and in Japan, and had been rector of St. Luke's church, Cleveland. Rt. Rev. Beverly D. Tucker, Bishop of Ohio, sent him to Galion where he made his headquarters as Canon Missioner of the Diocese. His assignment was to prepare the way for a permanent rector in the small Episcopal churches and missions in this area. While here he served Grace church, of Galion, St. James church, Bucyrus, and Good Shepherd mission, Mt. Gilead.

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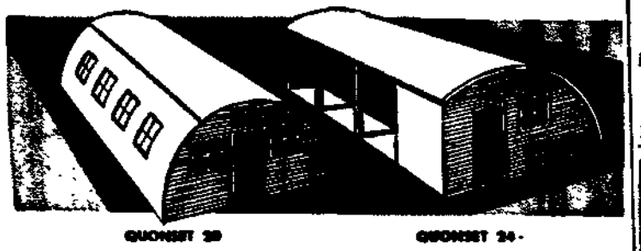

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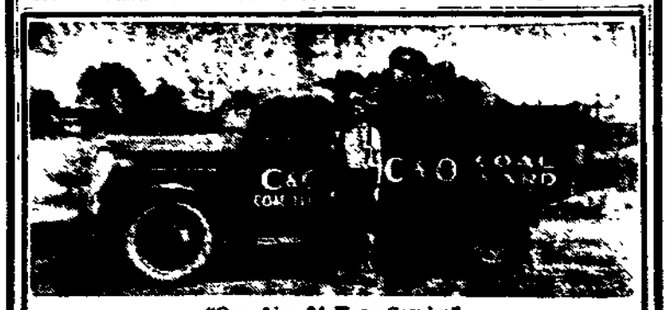

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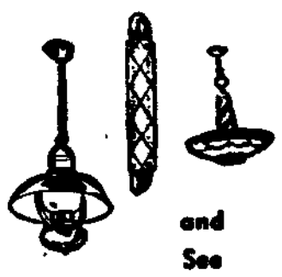

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39 Real Estate Transfers Filed Here In Week; Mortgages Total $21,886

Thirty-nine real estate transfers were recorded in the office of Mrs Grace Zachman, Marion county recorder during the week ended Dec 11, six more than the number filed during the preceding week

Eleven mortgages were filed during the week ended Dec 11 totaling $21,886 Loan companies made six loans amounting to $13,050 and four banks made five loans which added up to $8,836

Real estate transfers follow

Albert W Ackerson and others to E M Nau, lot dwelling house as W P Barnhart and one Waldo township land

Ruppert G Brown and others to Arthur Hoban and others, Marion lot

William W Beaver to Flora P Dietsch and others, certificate of transfer of undivided one third interest in Green Camp land and undivided six thirds interest in part Green Camp lot.

Catherine M Brewer and others to Paul W Giles and others Grand Prairie township land

Elmer Cramer and others to Grover F Cramer, three acres in Waldo township

Alfred L Clark and others to Alfred R Long and others two Green Camp lots

Jesse Campbell and others to Frederick Campbell five acres in Marion township

Ohio Blue Limestone Co to National Lime and Stone Co, 36 acres in Marion township $10

Home Federal Savings and Loan Association to Mary J Reese part Marion lot.

Anna M Fabian to Lawrence J Egan and others part two Marion lots.

Jesse R Garver to Bernard R Baker, certificate of transfer of 34 acres in Tully township

Stella Hindman to George H Hindman, undivided one half interest in part Marion lot, except life estate

Neda N Hedges and others to Albert J Seiter Pleasant and Green Camp township land $

William A Kenyon to Earl Butts Marion lot

Minnie P Keenan to Leo Keenan and others certificate of transfer of undivided one half interest in part Marion lot

Alfred J Goudenslager and others to Irwin Newell, part Marion lot

Guy D Lester to Bertha M Lester, certificate of transfer of undivided one third interest in Marion lot and undivided one half interest in 5" acres in Pleasant township

Bertha Lester and others to Laura Boyd Marion lot.

Millie K Lester to Laura Boyd Marion lot

Alma G Lester to Laura Boyd, Marion lot

Gladys Lemmon and others to Laura Boyd, Marion lot

Tom Longberry and others to David Jackson Marion lot.

Anthony C Martin and others to Elmer O Heath and others, part two Morral lots

Virginia H McCombe and others to Albert J Seiter Pleasant and Green Camp township land $25.

James C Neff and others to George J Lehrer and others Marion township land

Warren J Riley and others to Mabel B Pilgrim Marion lot

Gladys M Sterling and others to Orlee B Layman and others three Marion lots.

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Emmet C Swihart to Orel E Clinger, certificate of transfer of part Marion lot

Myrtle J Simmons and others to Albert J Seiter Pleasant and Green Camp township land $25

James F Sollar and others to Paul Halbert, Richland township land $10.

William Simpkins and others to Charles Simpkins part two Marion lots except life estate

Rex H Steele and others to John E Chisington and others, two Marion lots

Roy Sisson and others to Wilfred H Gorenflo and others part Marion lot.

Roy Sisson and others to John Redd and others, part two Marion lots

William L Tobin to Martha M Tobin and others part Marion lot.

Anna L Thieken, by administrator to Minnie E Bowen part two Marion lots

Harry F Wilson and others to John W Wilson, Marion lot.

Noah B Weaver to Mary Weaver and others undivided one-half interest in part Marion lot.

SANTA CLAUS RIDES AIRLIFT CORRIDOR

BERLIN Dec 18—(NS)—Santa Claus rides the airlift corridor to blockaded Berlin today, discarding reindeer and sleigh for giant four-motored transport planes, courtesy of the U S Air Force.

Airlift planes began Operation Santa Claus" in preparation for dozens of Christmas partues which U S pilots are staging for Berlin's Soviet-brleaguered children beginning tomorrow

The parties will continue four days In that time, at least 6,500 German children will get the extra rations the blockade has cut off—ice cream, candy, and cake.

At the airlift terminals in the western occupation zone, air crew members crammed the goodies, and hundreds of packages of toys, into the nooks and crannies of planes already loaded with vital fuel and food.

Two Long Island, N Y men father Operation Santa Claus," a strictly unofficial gesture of good will in which thousands of U S citizens, at home as well as in Germany, are cooperating

One of them, six-foot-two First Lieutenant John Konop of Flushing is donning the famil ar flowing white beard and Red-and-white costume to pass out presents in person at Tempelhof airdrome, in the U S sector

Konop and First Lieutenant Jack Lamar, of Roosevelt, L I, got the inspiration for the Christmas parties last October Lamar wrote to his father, Harry, telling him of the plan

The Nassau Daily Review-Star printed Lieut Lamar's letter on its front page, and Long Island residents responded by sending a stream of gift packages for Berlin's children to the pilots

As the idea caught on, other pilots and air crew members wrote home to their communities, and gradually the idea snowballed.

Church Chimes To Play Until Christmas Day

Beginning tomorrow night and continuing each night until Christmas, organ music and chimes amplified from the tower of Wesley Methodist church will be heard This will include carols and traditional Christmas music played from 7 to 7 30 by Mrs Zenabelle Messenger and Mrs. Florence Finley.

COLLEGE TO HONOR 2

TIFFIN, O., Dec. 18—(AP)—Heidelberg college trustees yesterday voted to confer honorary degrees on three men at commencement exercises next June. Rev. Gerson Englemann, Cincinnati, and Rev. H. Grady Shoffner of Miamisburg will receive doctor of divinity degrees. President H Dana Hopkins of Defiance college will receive a doctorate in a field to be determined.

WINDOW WAS LOADED. Latest entry for the "Believe It Or Not" prize of the year is William G Campbell, who was walking past a Los Angeles sporting goods store, looking for Christmas presents, when a gun on display in the window accidentally exploded A charge of birdshot crashed through the window pane wounding Campbell in the head He is shown (left) holding his shot-torn hat (arrow) as ambulance attendants arrive.

Love's Perilous Path

By ADELE GARRISON

Dicky looked a bit startled at my question

"Why I thought that was all settled," he said 'Didn't Katrina give you the address of the chap I want you to see, and the letter I wrote him, identifying you?"

'Not yet," I said "We've been terribly busy, and I imagine she's been waiting for me to introduce the subject. You know Katharine—"

'Bends backward for fear of butting in prematurely," he gibed "Yes, I know Katrina. But why didn't you ask her" That 'too busy' stuff wasn't the real reason You're never too busy to neglect a job Give down"

"I'm afraid," I said slowly, "that Junior and Roderick might get to wondering if I went away from here today. They know I wouldn't leave you with that arm, for anything but the most urgent errand.

"They also know," I went on, "that you wouldn't let me go into the streets with the present crisis on hand, unless it was imperative that I leave the hotel. And they are terribly keen, both of them."

He was silent for several seconds that seemed hours to me.

"You have something there," he said "But that detective chap must be seen. Roderick's needing two hundred dollars from Mary, specifying that the money must be in twenty dollar bills, makes it imperative that somebody beat it up to the school and find out 'what all the shooting's for'"

He paused again, but this time I broke the silence

"Could Katharine do it?" I said diffidently "She can put up some plausible reason for going away from the hotel"

'Of course she could do it" Dicky said jubilantly "My brain must have been wobbling, or I would have realized it wouldn't do for you to go jousting forth with the boys in the offing

"And, of course," he went on, "she'll have the same protection you would have had Adams, or Winters, will go with her, right into the office of our friend."

"You don't mean," I said tremulously, was furious at myself because I could not finish the sentence, with my suddenly constricted throat muscles

"No, I don't mean the inner office," Dicky said with a heartening grin at me "Nobody save Katharine and the detective will hear the reasons why I want him to take a trip up to the school Can you get Katharine in here right away? We ought to be getting busy on this."

"That's an easy task," I told him smiling. "You're a wounded man. Your slightest wish is to be obeyed"

I walked to the door and opened it.

"Katharine!" I called, "Will you please come here" I need your authority to deal with this most troublesome patient."

(Continued Monday)

Attention Men!

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TWO YOUTHS ADMIT SLAYING LANDLADY

FRIE, M , Dec 18 (AP) State police tonight said two young hitchhikers early today admitted the robbery slaying of their 80-year-old Toledo, Ohio, landlady

The two, identified as AWOL from the Army were arrested less than four hours after Mrs Lucile Harwold was bludgeoned to death in her rooming house

State trooper Edward Mongeon named the pair as Harold Sweet 22, Johnstown, Ohio and Ira Thomas Howell 17 Beckley, W Va

The two had stolen a diamond ring and a watch, police said

Their arrest and subsequent story, Mongeon said disclosed the fact of Mrs Harwold's death

Until the call from state police here authorities in Toledo had been unaware of the incident but verified it immediately, the trooper said

Sweet and Howell were stopped on a highway six miles from the Ohio line for routine questioning at 12 30 a m (EST)

Blood was seen on their clothes when they were brought to the Erie state police post, Mongeon said

Questioning finally brought out their story he said and H well admitted striking Mrs Harwold over the head with an iron bar in her living room

Christmas Luncheon Held by Youth Group

The Christmas luncheon meeting of the Marion Christian Youth movement was held Friday at First Evangelical and Reformed church with a porgram in keeping with the holidays A skit, "The Shepherd's Story" was given, and Santa Claus appeared to give out candy kisses Taking part in the program were Gene Pletcher, Mary Helen Buckingham, Eleanor Castanian, Barbara McIntire, Mary Lou Swigart, Marjorie Keeler, Richard Howard, Harry Dowler Jr., Geraldine Winters, Dick Thomas and Miss Mary Queen.

The Hall of Fame for Great Americans is on the campus of New York university.

Throw 'em Away

By Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) Your car grows old, by disuse gaining as well as by keeping it

And what the world could well use this time of year is an international throw away day

It would become the only day when a shower of gifts, instead of bombs, would be the way the year ends

For years I have had a kind of inner man throwing away day during the week before Santa Claus comes. It consists largely of cleaning my desk

Hal Boyle

That doesn't seem like much of an adventure But to me it is an epic task For I am one of those unborn folk cursed with a lifelong habit of being disorderly

At home my wife complains my clothes closet looks like the scene of a rummage sale My desk at the office resembles the gunpowder layout of a flock of magpies.

Each January the desk starts the new year as clean as the proverbial whistle (although a whistle could really be called clean only in comparison to a well-used tuba)

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BUT THE DAILY snow of letters soon begins to hide its green surface By spring the top no longer can be seen By summer the stick is knee high, and by fall it is waist deep A small child, thrown into it accidentally would suffocate before it could be found and rescued.

Here the year is embalmed in mixed up paper layers, like the cross section of a mountain tossed up in the earth's old agony

Month by month as the pile grows higher it plagues my conscience more and more. But when I finally gather up strength for my annual throwing away day what do I find in this self-made hill of debris"

Nothing really very important. Only small problems postponed day until they have become a great worrisome mound of care I find that time has made the problems of diminished significance In half a day I remove this paper tumor that has caused me a year of needless vexation and frustration

The desk is tidy here and new again, and I feel like I've had a nice clean shower I am full of more virtue than the whole calendar Saints.

And in this mood I wonder why the same formula wouldn't work for mental ills that plague us as well as for this simple task of cleaning a littered desk

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WHY SHOULDN'T there be an international "throwing away" day? Instead of nervily getting rid of an accumulation of unanswered letters, mankind could cleanse itself of the petty hates and prejudices that set brother against brother husband against wife east against west, north against south

Into the wastebasket with 'em Yes all of them all the useless doubts, fears, grudges confusions and groundless dislikes that clutter up life and keeps us from the spirit of loving kindness

And there the world would stretch new and clean and fresh again, fair to the eye and lovely to live in. Yes, the lion would lie down with the lamb (with the lamb outside him), and Fort Worth and Dallas—they'd love each other all year around. So would Minneapolis and St Paul.

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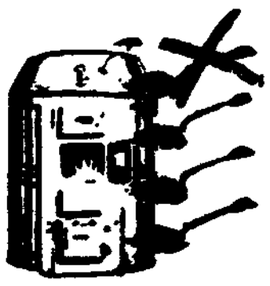
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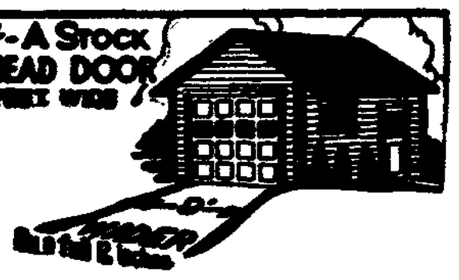
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PREVIEWS OF COMING ATTRACTIONS AT THE THEATERS

"Hills of Home" At Palace Theater

"Hills of Home," the technicolor film which unfolds the story of a gallant doctor of a Scotch village and an equally gallant dog who aids him on his rounds, will be shown Sunday through Tuesday at the Palace theater. Starred in the production are Edmund Gwenn, Donald Crisp, Tom Drake, Janet Leigh and the screen's almost human wonder dog star, Lassie.

Edmund Gwenn plays the role of the tender-hearted Dr. William MacClure, a Scotch doctor in a mountainous sheep-raising village. A huge battle is to turn a farmer's son into a doctor despite his father's opposition. MacLure finds himself faced with two problems, that of proving that his collie dog, Lass, played by Lassie, is not the coward he appears, and to train young Tammas Milton to succeed him as a doctor in the village.

It is Lassie who turns the scales in the conflict between Dr. MacLure and farmer Milton when he becomes the "guinea pig" in an experiment involving the use of the then little-known chloroform.

Showing Wednesday and Thursday will be a double feature, "Texas, Brooklyn and Heaven" and "Raw Deal." The former stars Guy Madison and Diana Lynn with James Dunn and heading the cast in the latter are Dennis O'Keefe, Claire Trevor and Marsha Hunt.

"Texas, Brooklyn and Heaven" tells the story of two Texas youngsters who go to Brooklyn, N. Y., and get into scrapes which wind up in a bit of heaven on earth for them. Diana Lynn plays the part of Perry Dunkin while Guy Madison is Eddie Taylor, the Texas newspaperman who quits his job to come to New York to write a play and who is forced, through a series of incidents, to take Perry under his wing.

In "Raw Deal," Dennis O'Keefe plays the role of a double-crossed tough guy who breaks out of jail to get revenge on the gangland for whom he "took the rap." The boss gangster in turn, helps to engineer the escape in the hope that O'Keefe will be killed.

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John Wayne Stars in Marion Picture

"Dakota" starring John Wayne and Walter Brennan, and "Train To Alcatraz" with Donald Barry, Janet Martin and William Phipps, will be shown Sunday and Monday at the Marion theater.

The story in "Train To Alcatraz" centers around two rival gang leaders, enroute to Alcatraz, one of whom has a foolproof escape plan that can't miss with its success depending upon the connivance of a glamorous accomplice aboard the train and the betrayal of a young fellow prisoner whom he has framed once before. What happens when the convicts engineer their break creates dramatic action.

Billed as a double feature for Tuesday and Wednesday are "Gay Blades" and "Out of the Storm." The former stars Allan Lane, Jean Rogers and Edward Ashley, and heading the cast in the latter are James Lydon, Lois Collier, Marc Lawrence and Richard Travis.

"Gay Blades" combines romance, laughter and the suspense of a great sports event, ice hockey games. It tells of an attractive Hollywood talent scout who, when looking all over the country for a new movie star, discovers an ice hockey hero whom she tries to persuade to go into the movies, although she realizes she would be sacrificing his career for her own.

Thursday through Saturday the attractions will be a comedy, "Way Out West" starring Laurel and Hardy, and another in the Rusty series entitled, "Rusty Leads the Way," starring Ted Donaldson, Sharyn Moffett, John Litel and Ann Doran.

The latter film tells how Rusty and a guide dog bring happiness to two swell kids. Rusty's master makes friends with a young blind girl and when he realizes how fond she is of the gentle canine, he hits on the idea of sending her to a special school where she can obtain a "seeing eye" dog of her own.

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JANET LEIGH and the screen's wonder dog, Lassie, are shown as they appear in the new technicolor production, "Hills of Home," which will be shown Sunday through Tuesday at the Palace theater. Other stars of the film are Edmund Gwenn, Donald Crisp and Tom Drake.

Three Pictures On Bill at State

Three pictures, "High Seas" starring Glenn Ford and Claire Trevor, "Law of the Timber" with Marjorie Reynolds and Monte Blue, and "Cracked Iceman" with Laurel and Hardy will make up the billing Sunday and Monday at the State theater.

The double feature for Tuesday and Wednesday will be "Green Dolphin Street" and a Western, "Hidden Valley Days." The former stars Lana Turner and Van Heflin.

William Henry and Linda Sterling are the stars of the film "Mysterious Mr. Valentine" which will be the main attraction of a double feature playing Thursday through Saturday. Completing the billing will be "Lone Star Pioneers" with William Elliott.

Ashley Farmer Hurt When Butted by Sheep

ASHLEY, Dec. 18—Lewis Crist, 74, a farmer near Ashley, will undergo an operation in White Cross hospital in Columbus today for an injury he received Friday morning on his farm. He suffered a knee laceration when a sheep butted him.

GRAND PRAIRIE SERVICE

Special music by the junior and senior choirs of the Grand Prairie Baptist church at Brush Ridge will be presented in a Christmas program tomorrow night at the church, Rev. Clarence Albin, pastor, announced. The Sunday school treat will be distributed tomorrow morning.

Committee Is Named By Theatrical Group

Mrs. Melba Huddleston, Mrs Bette Brady, Mrs Irene Moore and Miss Miriam Secord were appointed to obtain play books for future presentation at a meeting of the Marion Theatre Guild Tuesday night. Mrs. Huddleston was also named to serve on the rules and regulations committee by the president, Richard White.

Plans were made to attend a performance of the musical show, "Oklahoma," in January at the Hartman theater in Columbus. William Hylton and Miss Secord are in charge of tickets. Recently the group attended a performance of "Born Yesterday," starring Jean Parker and Lon Chaney Jr., in Columbus. In keeping with the custom of attending school plays it was announced the members had attended the Edison sophomore and Harding junior plays. Mrs. Moore gave a report on the performance of "My Man Godfrey," given by the guild late in November. Miss Virginia Stayner and Miss Mary Jane Williams entertained with monologues for the program hour. The next meeting will be Jan. 28 at 134½ East Center street, third floor rear.

2 COLUMBUS MEN SENTENCED TO PEN

CLEVELAND, Dec. 18—(AP)—Two Columbus men were sentenced to one to seven years in Ohio penitentiary yesterday on charges of receiving bonds stolen here three years ago.

Thomas West, 35, and Clarence Jones, 30, were found guilty of the charge by Common Pleas Judge Charles J. McNamee. A similar conviction brought the same term in Marysville reformatory to Mrs. Ero Rector, 43, of Cleveland. Miss Mary Toome, 27, of Columbus, was fined $25 and costs for the same crime, scaled down to a misdemeanor.

Some $25,000 worth of bonds were recovered in a house here where the Rectors once lived and in the possession of the Columbus trio. Some additional bonds taken in the 1945 burglary of the William J. Van Aken real estate office here are still unaccounted for.

West told the court he was trying to get the bonds from their hiding places to return to the Van Aken Co. so Gaylord Rector, 45, would have a better chance for a parole. Rector is in the state reformatory for burglary safe tampering and receiving stolen property as a result of the Van Aken burglary.

Total New York state revenues for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1948 were more than $708,000,000.

MOTHER AND CHILD HURT IN ACCIDENT

Two Cars and Trailer Figure in Collision.

Mrs Ella Smith of near Marengo and her son, Victor Smith, 5, were injured in a two car collision at 5:45 p m yesterday on route 61 a mile south of Mt. Gilead, the highway patrol reported today.

Neither was seriously hurt. They were treated by a Mt. Gilead physician. Mrs Smith suffered severe head bruises and her son a leg injury.

David Smith, husband of Mrs. Smith and driver of the car, was refilling the tank of the car, which had run out of gas, when the collision occurred. Abe Day of Mt. Gilead driver of the other car told, the patrol he didn't see the trailer attached to the Smith car until it was too late.

Smith was issued a citation to appear in Mt. Gilead mayor's court today on a charge of driving with insufficient lights. The front of the Day car was badly damaged and damage to the trailer was slight.

UNION AND COMPANY ENTERTAIN CHILDREN

Pollak Party Held at Edison School Auditorium.

Local 2721 United Steel Workers of America CIO, and the Pollak Steel Co., held a Christmas party for all children of the Pollak plant employes starting at 1:15 p m today at the Edison Junior High school. Attendance was limited to children 14 years or younger.

The party was arranged by Grover Hahn, president of Local 2721, and R. H. Knecht, Pollak Steel works manager.

E. J. Baxter and Joe Smith supervised the program, which included movie cartoons short subjects, and a feature picture. John Newman and Fred Hardesty presented a program of songs and magic respectively, while Gene Copeland and Mickey Andrinne dressed as circus clowns added to the fun for the kiddies.

Santa Claus made a special pre-Christmas appearance by special arrangement and at the close of the program "fruit candy, and nuts were distributed.

WEEK'S TOP FEATURES AT THEATERS

PALACE

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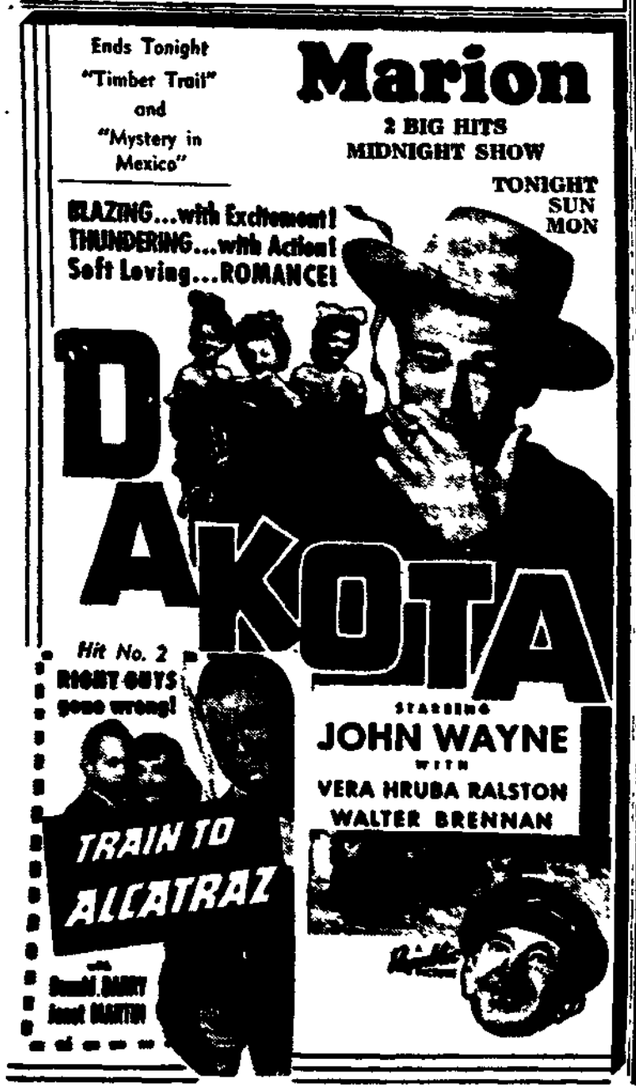

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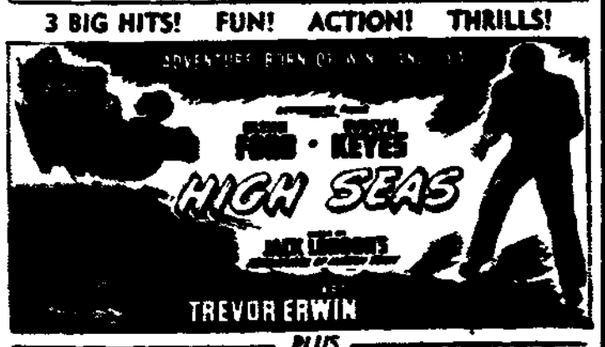

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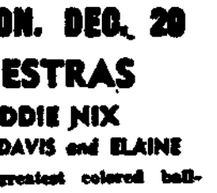

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Highway Detour Spares Colonial Relic Home

By International News Service

DANVERS, Mass.—The march [illegible] is making a detour to preserve a 300-year-old house a relic of colonial days.

The State Highway Department is enlarging the Newburyport Turnpike and the house—built in 1648 by Thomas Putnam—stands smack in the middle of the project. The highway department already has ordered gas stations, stores and other houses moved to make room for new lanes.

In the case of the Putnam house, however, reverence has won out over progress. The highway department, rather than move the landmark, has decided to build a traffic circle around it.

Thomas Putnam, the original builder of the structure, got sick of the hurly-burly of Salem in colonial days that he decided to bury himself in the country.

Sheltered Putnam Clan

The house since then has sheltered generation after generation of the Putnam clan. Revolutionary General Israel Putnam, famous for his part in the Battle of Bunker Hill, was born there.

The present owner, Mrs. Mabel Hood Emerson, has reared her seven children in the old house. This fall, all the members of the family will come to Danvers to celebrate the 300th birthday of the house.

Progress, in the person of the state highway department, will not leave the house entirely undisturbed, however.

Ten of the 20 acres in the remaining homestead will be bulldozed away. The remainder will be left intact.

SONG - WRITING STENOS. Sue Thomas (left), Tacoma, Wash., and Ruth Wallace, Washington, congressional employes, hold musical scores on steps of U. S. capitol. Their first song, "Who's To Blame," already has been published.

RAIL

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immediate, retroactive to last Oct. 1.

Not Mandatory

The fact-finding board's proposals are not mandatory on either the railroads or the unions.

Representatives of the 136 railroads involved in the dispute were also reported to be preparing for meetings here to discuss the board's report.

It appeared that G. E. Leighty, chief of the telegraphers union, would be in charge of the Brotherhoods' meeting. He was the top spokesman for the workers during the lengthy negotiations with the railroads and the fact-finding board.

Officials of the Association of Western Railroads declined to comment on the board's report.

Leighty said at Washington that he was "very disappointed" with the proposals. G. E. Goebel, vice grand president of the Railway Clerks Brotherhood, said he was "gratified" at the report.

But, Goebel added he was disappointed that the board did not recommend that we receive "all our demands."

Workers Disgruntled

The rank and file of workers involved generally were disgruntled with the report. Most said they thought the suggested pay raise was insufficient to meet the increased cost of living. Others thought the 40-hour week should start immediately. Several said they were displeased at the board's suggestion that the workers give up their time-and-a-half for Sunday work in exchange for the 40-hour week.

The union originally demanded a 25-cent pay raise, the 40-hour week with no reduction in pay per week, time-and-a-half for Saturday work and double time for Sundays. The railroads contended such an agreement would bankrupt them.

TOO TAXED IN PENNSYLVANIA

Has Greater Tax Variety Than Any Other State in Union.

By International News Service

HARRISBURG—Taxes Pennsylvania has them apart probably in greater variety than any other state in the union.

In addition to the common or garden variety many communities in the Keystone state have levies on such diverse items as outdoor advertising signs, professional services, ashes, hearses (Russia taxed beards in olden days), used car lots, and so on.

Pittsburgh, never wanting for thinking up ingenious sources of revenue this year taxed each individual over 21 in the city $5 per "head."

In other cities and towns throughout the state the services of physicians, dentists, barbers and insurance men are taxable "items."

The list includes about every fraction or thing imaginable.

Tax Boom Began In '47

The boom in taxes in Pennsylvania started in 1947 when the State Legislature passed Act 481 permitting local school boards to tax "any privilege, transaction, subject, occupation or personal property" not taxed by the state.

In other words, the local schools boards get everything the state might have overlooked.

Immediately a howl went up from all quarters. Constitutionality of the law was tested in the courts, but the Pennsylvania Supreme court ruled in favor of the law and the school boards.

With the supreme court in their corner, the school boards went to town, squeezing a tax out of everything they could squeeze a mill out of.

With the tax-anything law, the taxpayer gets very little break. A fine of $100 or 30 days in jail is the penalty by the school boards for non-payment.

The amazing thing about the law is the number of thing school boards have thought of to tax.

The Patton school board has [illegible] machines. Ebensburg gets a one-cent wage tax on 65 cents.

Geistown has a $40 monthly levy on used car lots. The Portage school district gets $2.50 for each dance. Barnsboro charges theaters $15 a month and all other shows and demonstrations $100 a week.

So, if you're got the blues because of taxes in your state, think of poor Pennsylvania with double trouble—blue laws and taxes.

OFFERS EYE FOR DEBTS. Mrs. Ellen Peters, 21, mother of two children, who has offered one of her eyes so that she and her husband, Ernest, can pay off their debts, is pictured above holding her two-year-old daughter, Rita Ann, at Cincinnati. Mrs. Peters is expecting a third child in March and she says her eye would help meet the expenses of their new arrival.

STATE BALKS CLEANUP

By The United Press

INDIANAPOLIS—Street Commissioner Tony Maio ran into a snag in his drive to get rid of dead leaves. He told residents to put the leaves in containers or in piles along the curb. But state police said Maio's leaf-raking cohorts were violating state laws. Four of the streets are under the jurisdiction of the state highway commission.

ADOPT 8 CHILDREN. Mr. and Mrs. J. Marion Robertson of Marshall, Mo., arrive in New York (Dec. 17) with four children they adopted in Dublin, Ireland. Robertson, former prosecutor of Salinas county, Mo., and Mrs. Robertson went to Europe in September to adopt two children. They toured Italy, Switzerland and France and finally found the children in Dublin. Children are (l. to r.) Thomas, 11 months; Charles, 4½; Clare, 3½, and Michael, 18 months.

Learn To Swim Easily, Pool Expert Declares

By The United Press

CHICAGO—A person who keeps his head can learn to swim almost anywhere, even in a whirlpool, says an expert swimmer.

Stephen Baker, a member of the New York Athletic Club water polo team, set naked common beliefs regarding water hazards to swimmers in an article in the magazine Hygeia.

Water pressure, he says, is dangerous only at great depth. With practice, most swimmers can submerge safely to 15 or 20 feet and swim 35 to 75 feet without difficulty, Baker contends.

Unskilled swimmers and even some skilled ones become panicky in open water when they get the optical illusion that the waves are running against them, Baker wrote. He recommended that the swimmer fix his gaze on something stationary so that he realizes continues he is making progress in the water.

Some swimmers fear that weeds and grass moving under the surface, but Baker says "they haven't the strength to pull down a pike."

FLIES GETTING USED TO IT

By The United Press

SAN FRANCISCO — Common house flies are not dying off like flies any more and it is worrying University of California scientists. Flies apparently are becoming resistant to DDT. It now takes 50 times the normal dosage of DDT to kill 95 per cent of the flies sprayed.

Right Address Makes Postman's Job Easier

Did you put the correct address, including the street and number, on that Christmas greeting or parcel you mailed this week or are going to mail today, tomorrow or Monday? If you did, you're tops with the clerk who has to sort the mail and the mailman on the route but if you went on the theory, "Oh well, the mailman knows them he'll deliver it ok," there is a hundred to one chance, it won't be delivered, at least not until after Christmas.

Mailing At Peak

With Christmas mailing at its peak this weekend, and with 60 extra clerks and carriers added to help out with the holiday rush, the regular clerk or mailman doesn't see all of the mail to be delivered, and as a result many of the names are not familiar to the substitute employe.

Packages and letters bearing the three-cent postage receive directory service, that is addresses are looked up in telephone or city directories, but with continuous changes these are not always correct, Postmaster Homer D. Cole points out. Cards bearing one and one-half cent postage are not entitled to directory service, according to postal regulations and consequently when they are found with only "Marion, Ohio," or incorrect addresses, there is only one place for them, the "nixie" box. It may be the rush and bustle of the holiday season, but people this year are pretty forgetful of addresses, the postmaster states. By way of checking, a bundle of 72 cards bearing one and one-half cent postage, picked at random and checked with the directory for correct address, only 23 could be delivered because of lack of or incorrect address.

Airmail for Distance

Air mail and air parcel post is the only answer to delivery by Christmas for out of the city parcels and greetings, now, the postmaster states.

As an afterthought Postmaster Cole adds, patrons receiving large volumes of mail could be a great help to the carriers if they placed extra containers near the regular mail receptacle.

Why not make it "help the mailman week?"

HEARSE SUBS FOR TAXI

By The United Press

FRANKLIN, Mass.—The housekeeper of a Franklin woman called O'Keefe's funeral service and asked that "someone come and get Mrs. X right away." Edward Mulvaney drove the hearse to the home and then found that the woman really wanted a taxicab to go to the hairdresser's. So he obligingly drove her down in the hearse.

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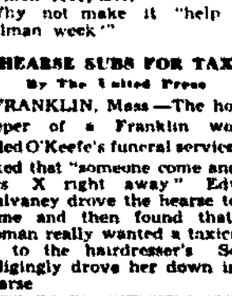

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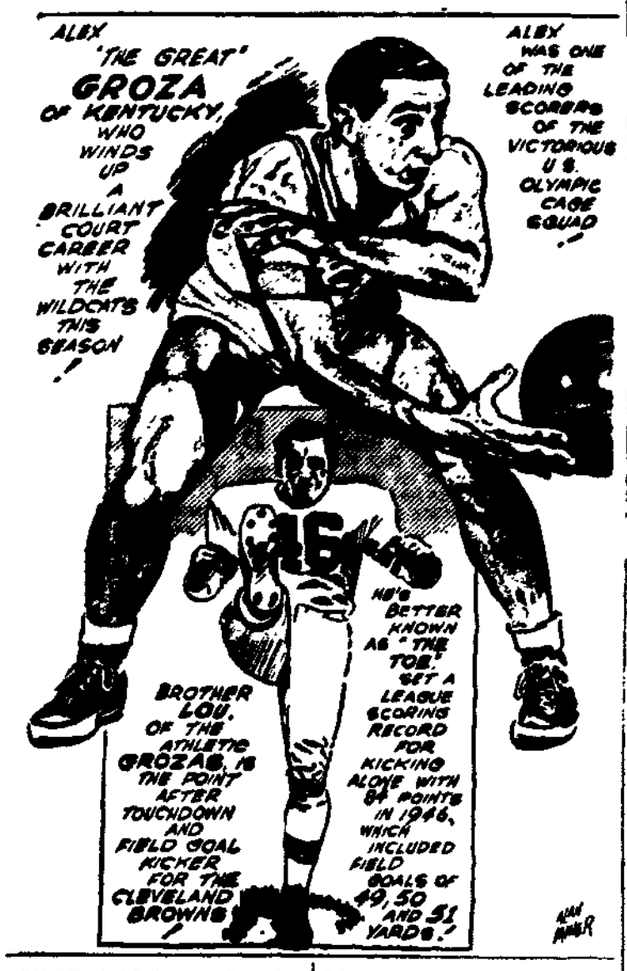
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Harding Hoopsters Down Delaware, 41-36

4th-Quarter Outburst Brings Prexy Victory

The Harding hoopsters earned the right to stick another feather in their cap as they handed Delaware Willis its first defeat in five starts, 41-36, at Delaware last night. The game was close all the way with the lead changing hands several times But the Prexies, trailing by five points going into the final quarter, exploded with 14 markers to goin the margin of victory.

Dick Thomas, Marion captain and guard, led his mates with ten points He also was the big gun in his team's final period splurge as he mustered six points. Bill Shuff, lanky Delaware center, paced the Willis quintet with 14 tallies which gave him the night's scoring honors.

Edged In Height

The Presidents were outclassed in height but seemed to make up for it in scrap and alert ball handling Repeatedly in the final minutes Delaware elected to take the ball out instead of shooting fouls in a desperate but futile attempt to pull the contest out of the hole. Delaware collected 15 goals to only 14 for Harding but fell down in free throws collecting only six to Marion's 13.

Delaware trailed by three points at halftime but the Willis men began to roll in the third quarter. After Clarence Smith jumped one in for Harding, the hosts hit for nine points on two goals by Johnson, one by Jack McKinnie, and a basket and free throw by Bill Shuff. In all, Delaware collected 17 points in this period as they again forged to the front, 32-27.

Rally in Fourth

The Presidents of Marion Harding were not to be denied, however, and held Willis to only four markers in the last quarter. As the period opened, Shuff dumped a goal for Delaware. Then Smitty dribbled under the hoop for two, Merle Daum collected two more, and Dick Thomas made good a foul shot and quickly swished th enets with another goal to tie the score at 34-up.

Jack McKinnie, six-four Delaware forward, put his team ahead again with a rebound shot but that was all for Delaware. The Presidents connected on shots by the Daum brothers, Merle and Jack, and a field goal by Dick Thomas before Thomas ended the game by netting a free throw.

Harding Reserves were also victorious, 41-28. Paced by Paul Ludwig and John Zimmerman, who collected 13 points apiece, the Vice Presidents outscored Delaware in all but the final period. Captain Smith led the Delaware Willis JV's with ten tallies.

VARSITY

Harding—41	G	F	Delaware—36	G	F
B'kingham, f	1	0	Johnson, f	4	2
M. Daum, f	3	1	McKinnie, f	2	2
J. Daum, c	3	2	Shuff, c	6	2
Thomas, g	2	6	Warner, g	2	0
Wolfe, g	1	2	Coppock, g	1	0
Smith, f	4	0	Dunham, f	0	0
Ballinger, g	0	0	Radugge, c	0	0
Zim'erman, g	0	1			
Taylor, f	0	0			
Leffler, f	0	0			
Total	14	13	Total		15 6

Score by quarters:

Harding	8	10	9	14—41
Delaware	9	6	17	4—36

RESERVE

Harding—41	G	F	Delaware—28	G	F
Brokaw, f	1	0	Carlisle, f	0	3
Leffler, f	1	6	Smith, f	3	4
Ludwig, c	6	1	Fleming, c	2	1
Graham, g	1	1	Johnson, g	2	4
Zim'erman, g	6	1	Williamson, g	0	0
Hoffman, c	1	0	Espenschild, f	0	1
Winters, f	0	0	Woods, g	0	1
Applegett, f	0	0	Weiser, f	0	0
Mason, c	0	0			
B'debaugh, g	0	0			
Hender, g	0	0			
Day, g	0	0			
Geran, f	0	0			
Fields, f	0	0			
Total	16	9	Total	7	14

Score by quarters

Harding	10	17	9	5—41
Delaware	8	8	6	6—28

MT. GILEAD RALLY DEFEATS RICHWOOD

Special to The Star

RICHWOOD, Dec. 18—Mount Gilead defeated Richwood here last night 47-43 for their third victory of the season against only one loss. The win, Mount Gilead's second straight in Mid - State league play, kept them in a first place tie with Marysville. Paced by their forward, McClarity, who scored 21 points, Mt Gilead came from behind in the waning minutes to gain their victory Chapman ranked up 14 points to lead Richwood. Richwood won the Reserve game 42-27.

Mt. Gilead—47	G	F	Richwood—43	G	F
McClarity, f	10	1	Cheney, f	5	2
McClelland, f	2	2	Shields, f	4	2
Osborne, c	2	0	Harrison, c	1	1
McElwain, g	3	1	Chapman, g	5	4
Gallaher, g	0	0	Speyers, g	1	2
Lancaster, g	2	1			
Total	21	5	Total		18 11

Score by quarters:

Mt Gilead	10	16	7	14—47
Richwood	15	11	9	8—43

Pleasant Edges Prospect, 31 to 28

The invading Pleasant courtsters handed Prospect High school its fourth league defeat in a row by a score of 31-28 last night. Prospect fought an uphill battle for three quarters until they knotted the score at 20-20, but could not keep the pace in the final stanza as Pleasant outscored them 11-8.

Pleasant—31	G	F	Prospect—28	G	F
Merchant, f	2	2	Laughorn, f	2	2
Maheffey, f	1	0	K. Pine, f	1	1
Kinsell, f	2	1	Landon, f	0	0
Temple, c	1	4	B. Pine, c	1	0
Vance, g	2	0	Knickel, g	3	2
Belter, g	1	2	Lovering, g	2	1
			Hughes, g	0	2
Total	11	9	Total		10 8

Score by quarters:

Pleasant	5	9	6	11—31
Prospect	2	10	7	9—28

Officials: Ellen and Cox.

Claridon Humbles Waldo Cagers, 67-15

Claridon rolled on to their fifth win in six starts last night by downing Waldo, 67-15, on the home court last night. Paced by Raymond Auld, who scored 19 points, and Randy Dickason, who garnered 15, the Augenstein men jumped to a 20-0 first-quarter lead and coasted to victory. Claridon also triumphed in the Reserve game, 28-16.

Claridon—67	G	F	Waldo—15	G	F
Auld, f	9	1	F. Thieken, f	1	0
Chapman, f	3	0	Grove, f	0	0
Dickason, f	7	1	Sallier, f	0	3
Lemke, f	1	0	Schultz, f	0	0
D. Law'nce, c	3	0	Helmlich, c	2	2
Kimball, c	0	0	R. Larcom, g	0	0
Spence, g	3	2	H. Thieken, g	1	0
Ruth, g	2	2	Baker, g	0	1
J. Law'nce, g	0	0	D. Larcom, g	0	1
Jones, g	2	1			
McChesne, g	0	0			
Total	30	7	Total		4 7

Score by quarters:

Claridon	20	16	12	19—67
Waldo	0	2	3	10—15

Officials: Patrich and Hern.

New Bloomington Beaten by LaRue

LaRue climbed on New Bloomington for its first win at LaRue last night, 54-28. The game gave both squads a Marion county league record of one victory and two defeats. George Gamble, LaRue center, broke loose for 24 points to take the night's scoring honors with ease. LaRue forward Jack Millisor hit for 14.

Meeker Outlasts Green Camp Rally

Meeker High school, flashing a well - rounded attack, dropped Green Camp, 57-49, Friday night on the Marion YMCA hardwoods. The Lions were led by Wood and Johnson, who scored 29 points between them. Smith and Weston paced the losers and were the game's top scorers with 17 points each. Green Camp, trailing by 18 points in the final quarter, started a decided rally employing a pressing man-to-man defense over the court's entire length, but two quick buckets in the final minutes clinched the deal for the Meeker Lions. Meeker Reserves were also victorious, 37-27.

Meeker—57	G	F	Green Camp—49	G	F
Johnson, f	7	0	Rentler, f	4	2
Walters, f	0	0	Weston, f	8	6
Hollbrook, f	3	2	Smith, c	7	3
Fogle, f	1	2	Jennison, c	0	0
Yost, c	3	1	Joe Criswell, g	0	0
Owens, g	4	0	Harper, g	0	0
Sherer, g	0	0	J Criswell, g	0	1
Uhm, g	0	0	Ruth	0	0
Lumkins, g	0	0			
Wood, g	6	2			
Potts, g	0	0			
Total	24	9	Total		19 11

Score by quarters:

Meeker	19	7	19	12—57
Green Camp	10	9	10	20—49

Officials: Rurbrink and Everly

Bucyrus Defeats Galion Cagers, 56-39

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS, Dec. 18—Bucyrus defeated Galion, 56-39, in a non-league game here last night with all eleven players hitting the scoring column. Bill Kibler paced the victors with 15 points but game honors went to Galion's Ray Seif who scored 16 The Bucyrus Reserves won, 38-18.

Bucyrus—56	G	F	Galion—39	G	F
Widman, f	3	3	Fink, f	1	1
B. Kibler, f	5	1	Seif, f	4	8
Smith, c	2	1	Lake, c	1	0
Dutcher, g	2	0	Wisler, g	0	3
W. Light, g	2	3	Dysinger, g	1	2
D. Kibler	1	0	Doe	2	2
Johns	1	0	Newmann	1	3
Temple	2	0			
Rumstead	2	0			
Walk	1	0			
D. Light	1	0			
Total	24	8	Total		10 19

Score by quarters:

Bucyrus	9	11	20	16—56
Galion	7	9	4	19—39

Officials: Hamblin and Grathwal.

Dayton Enters Pro Basketball League

DAYTON, O., Dec. 18—(AP)—Dayton entered the national professional basketball picture last night with announcement that Detroit's National Basketball league franchise had been transferred here. Detroit withdrew from the league, and the NBL franchise for Dayton was acquired by Elwood Parsons, who has been promoting professional basketball here for the past eight years. Dayton will be represented by the New York News, one of the outstanding Negro basketball teams in the nation. The team will be known as the Dayton Rens It will start play in Dayton Sunday night against the Anderson Packers.

'CATS LEAVE FOR COAST

CHICAGO, Dec. 18—(AP)—Northwestern's 44-man football squad, hopeful of becoming the third consecutive Big Nine team to win in the Rose Bowl, leaves for Los Angeles by special train today.

SAVAGE SOLD TO BROWNS

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18—(AP—Bob Savage, right-handed pitcher, will do his hurling for the St. Louis Browns next season The Philadelphia Athletics yesterday sold the 27-year-old hurler to the Browns for an unannounced sum of cash. Savage was used chiefly in relief roles last season by Connie Mack, winning five and losing one.

MOVES TO FLINT

FLINT, Mich., Dec. 18—(AP)—Bill Hall, business manager of Dayton's Central league baseball club last season, yesterday was named general manager of the Flint club in the same league. He will assume his new post Jan. 1.

BASKETBALL SCORES

By The Associated Press

[illegible] 44, Columbus West 37, Columbus Aquinas 47

[illegible] 47, Columbus Academy 36 (Columbus University 34

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[illegible] 76, Zanesville St. Nicholas 43

[illegible] 28, Lancaster 39

[illegible] 43, Newark Catholic 41

[illegible] 31, Willard 34

Fostoria 44, Fremont Ross 30

Findlay 39, Tiffin 23

Toledo 33, Martins Ferry 25

Marietta 34, Newark 32

Steubenville 33, Lisbon 26

Westerville 37, [illegible] 31

Canal Winchester 46, Reynoldsburg 36

Hamilton Township 42, Groveport 25

Akron St Mary 54, Columbus St. Mar. 27

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Marion 52, Gahanna 4

Greenfield McClain 44, Columbus Holy Rosary 34

Athens 58, Jackson 32

Nelsonville 29, Middleport 28

Wauseon 61, Defiance 45

Fortsmouth 44, Chillicothe 38

Lancaster 36, Dover 28

Amanda 45, Lancaster St. Marys 37

Wooster 46, Orrville 44

Gallipolis 29, Pomeroy 42

Piqua 31, Bellefontaine 30

Alliance 28, East Liverpool 25

Dayton Fairview 45, Kenton 37

Zanesville 47, Cambridge 29

Zanesville St Thomas 34, Shawnee 31

Frazeysburg 45, Hopewell 37

Dresden 67, North Zanesville 21

Glenford 49, New Straitsville 38

Port Clinton 48, Sandusky 40

Cleveland Heights 39, Lorain 34

Cleveland Shaw 41, Shaker Heights 40

Berea 53, Medina 45

Rocky River 56, Wellington 32

Amherst 41, Oberlin 32.

Bay Village 49, North Royalton 46

Cleveland Collinwood 31, Cleveland Lincoln 25.

Cleveland John Marshall 46, Cleveland John Hay 37.

Cleveland Cathedral Latin 46, Cleveland Cathedral Prep 37.

Erie Pa. Cathedral Prep 37, Willoughby 37, Mentor 31

Ashland 68, Cleveland South 40

Wooster 46, Orrville 44

Mingo Junction 48, Wellsville 43.

Lodi 22, York 21.

Monroeville 35, Huron 31.

Youngstown South 51, Canton Timken 49.

Springfield 49, Lima Central 38.

Bexley 35, Mansfield 30.

Akron South 67, Mansfield Madison 42.

Belleville 54, Butler 27.

Bucyrus 53, Galion 39.

Cleveland Rhodes 48, Cleveland East 34.

Barberton 42, Wadsworth 31.

Lakewood 50, Elyria 33.

Canton McKinley 56, Youngstown East 53.

Canton Central 40, Akron Central 26.

Akron Elliot 36, Stow 23.

Akron North 48, Akron Hower 36.

Akron West 44, Akron East 35

Akron Buchtel 53, Glenville 38.

Cleveland Benedictine 43, Cleveland Holy Name 36.

Columbiana 50, Salem 47.

Berlin Center 25, Goshen Union 24.

Poland 55, North Lima 40.

Warren Harding 66, Akron Kenmore 38.

Johnstown 38, Fowler 36.

Dayton Wilbur Wright 47, Lima South 45.

Delphos St. Johns 74, Lima St. Rose 42.

Delphos Jefferson 32, Lima St. Gerards 26.

Massillon 48, Canton Lehman 30.

Greensburg 39, Bath 21.

COLLEGE

Loyola of Chicago 65, Bowling Green 62.

John Carroll 59, Case Tech 42.

Miami 53, Western Reserve 48.

Kentucky Wesleyan 66, Cedarville 65.

Toledo 52, Valparaiso 50.

Rio Grande 79, Detroit Tech 58.

Findlay 45, Concordia (Fort Wayne) 38.

Hanover (Richmond, Ind.) 44, Oberlin 47.

Morris Harvey 92, Union (Ky.) 62.

Louisville 73, Marshall 64.

Centre 51, Rose Poly 36.

Beloit 78, Indiana State 71.

Purdue 64, Nebraska 47.

Mississippi 69, Miss. State 61.

Louisiana State 58, Texas A. & M. 55

Evansville 71, Morehead (Ky.) 61.

Murray (Ky.) 66, Delta (Miss.) State 33.

Bluefield 65, West Va. Tech 57.

North Carolina State 77, Pitt 42.

Michigan 47, Colorado 38

Utah 53, Southern Caloformia 48

UCLA 61, Santa Clara 43.

CLEVELAND 13-POINT FAVORITE OVER BILLS

CLEVELAND Dec 18—(AP)—Cleveland, already winner of three games with Buffalo this season, is a 13-point favorite to make it four in a row and win its third straight All-America football conference title tomorrow

The Browns, unbeaten in 14 league games this season, were 17-point favorites until a truckload of Buffalo money reduced the advantage

The slump in the betting odds came at almost the same time that it became known here that four Buffalo players definitely would not appear in the championship game. Meanwhile, Coach Paul Brown of the Clevelanders, said that all his mighty warriors were in shape

It is the third time in four years that Cleveland has been host to a professional football title play off game and there is just a hint that it is becoming old hat At least 49 000 of the 84,000 seats in municipal stadium are expected to be empty for Sunday's game, that starts at 1:30 p. m

Bob Teuber, Al Akins and Bill Gompers, all backs, and end Marty Comer, of the Bills will be spectators Sunday because of various ailments Yet the Buffalo followers say their team is in the best shape of the year to meet Cleveland.

If the Browns win they will become the first team in major league professional football history to complete an entire all-winning season and also the first club ever to annex three loop titles in a row.

Cardington Shades Iberia Five, 36-35

Special to The Star

CARDINGTON, Dec. 18—The Pirates took a close one here last night from Iberia, 36-35. Dale Miller, Iberia forward, took the night's high scoring honors with 20 points. Iberia won the Reserve game, 35-28.

Cardington—36	G	F	Iberia—35	G	F
Roach, f	4	2	Miller, f	6	8
Mather, f	1	1	Robinson, f	2	0
Newcomer, f	2	0	Rinehart, f	0	1
Kelley, f	4	0	Morton, c	2	0
Loud'rba'k, c	1	0	Ernst, g	0	0
Bean, g	3	1	Miley, g	0	4
Barry, g	0	2			
Total	15	6	Total		11 13

Score by quarters:

Cardington	10	11	6	9—36
Iberia	9	8	10	8—35

Upper Sandusky Rams Bow to Shelby, 42-30

Special to The Star

UPPER SANDUSKY, Dec. 18—The Rams went down for their second Northern Ohio league defeat in two starts by bowing to Shelby last night, 42-30. Roy Moses, Upper forward, was the night's high scorer with 16 markers. The Little Rams took the reserve game, 24-18.

Shelby—42	G	F	Upper—30	G	F
Onle, f	3	0	Kottiman, f	1	0
Dennis, f	0	2	Roy Moses, f	7	2
Utz, f	4	2	Koehler, c	0	1
Cronenett, c	4	4	Wall, c	1	3
Fackler, g	0	1	Everhart, g	0	0
Lybarger	1	0	Mason, g	0	0
Clark, g	4	1	Smalley, g	0	2
Wilson, g	0	0	Long, g	0	0
Total	16	10	Total		11 8

Score by quarters:

Shelby	8	12	10	12—42
Upper	7	7	10	6—30

Officials: Bender and Bickley.

Carey Drops 5th In Row, 51-36 to St. Joe

Special to The Star

CAREY, Dec. 18—Carey High school dropped their fifth straight game last night to Fremont St. Joseph by a score of 51-36. Fremont gained the lead early in the first period and kept it throughout the game. The Fremont J. V.'s also defeated the Carey Reserves, 39-35.

Fremont—51	P	Carey—36	P
Joe Young, f	6	Strahm, f	4
Gabel, f	0	Phillips, f	0
Ackerman, c	6	Risner, c	10
Mathies, g	4	Longanec'kr, g	13
Yeager, g	21	Wedge, g	2
John Young, g	7	Yingling, g	2
Dottron, g	7	Pieracini, g	2
		Detwiler, g	2
Total	51	Total	36

Score by quarters:

Carey	8	5	15	8—36
Fremont	12	18	14	12—51

Peace Talk Continues In Pro Football Meet

CLEVELAND, Dec. 18—(AP)—Peace talk reared its lovely head today at the All-America Football conference meeting

The junior professional loop declared emphatically it would be back in competition in 1949 with the same eight clubs—thus erasing rumors it would fold because of financial difficulties—but it extended the olive branch to its one and only competitor, the well-established and embattled National loop.

Despite an official announcement by Ben Lindheimer of the Los Angeles Dons, chairman of the executive committee, that the same clubs would be in the flag chase next year, rumors were rampant there would be some changes made.

Ingram To Resign?

For one thing, it was a certainty that Commissioner Jonas Ingram of the A-A, former U. S. admiral, would resign in the very near future. That resignation, the folk around the lobbies opined, would clear the way for Bert Bell, president and commissioner of the National, to take over as professoinal football's No. 1 man.

Should Bell be elevated to rule over both the National and All-America, the way would be clear for a common draft, a drastic slash in player salaries, and a chance for everyone to finish in the black next year—a decided innovation.

Key to all All-America's continued operation appeared to be the Chicago Rockets, a team into which rival owners Mickey McBride of the Cleveland Browns, Dan Topping of the New York Yankees, and Lindheimer poured approximately $100,000 as a sustaining fund this season.

May Sell Dons

Among the rumors surrounding the fate of the Rockets was that Lindheimer might sell his Dons, third best gate attraction in the league this year, and take over the Rockets. Movie colony interests were considered the best bet to buy the Dons.

Another unconfirmed report suggested that Lindheimer might purchase the Chicago Cardinal franchise from the National loop, combine it with the Rockets, and continue in the All-America, with the Bears the National loop entry.

A Philadelphia story, where the National loop moguls meet Monday had it that Alexis Thompson, owner of the Eagles, had been suspended for suggesting that his club, should it defeat the Cardinals in Sunday's National loop playoff, meet the A-A winner Dec. 26 in Yankee stadium.

Commissioner Bell denied Thompson had been suspended, or that any reprimand had been considered He also said he had not heard that Commissioner Ingram of the A-A was contemplating resigning, or that he had been approached on the possibility of becoming the overall pro boss

No Profit for Browns

Meanwhile the Cleveland Browns undefeated two-time champions of the All-America conference—and the greatest game attraction in the loop—expected to break just about even on the season's operation.

Reports were that the Brown payroll, approximating $300,000 for the campaign, was up about $105,000 over the 1947 figure None of the Browns the report said, is receiving less than $5 000 for the season, and some are around the $20,000 mark with several linemen cashing in at least $10 000.

Caledonia Wins 3rd Straight in League

Paced by the scoring of Gene Fleming, six foot three inch center, Caledonia won its third straight Marion county league contest last night by trimming Martel, 46-31 The big center was playing his second game since he returned to the lineup after recovering from a football injury and he was Dorna's high man with 14 points Bob Snarrock led the Martel men with 16 points for the night's high total Martel won the reserve game, 36-27. In a third contest Kennedy's Grocery of Martel downed North Electric of Galion, 29-27. Caledonia is undefeated and tied for first place of the Marion county loop.

Caledonia—46	G	F	Martel—31	G	F
Drake, f	4	0	Hissong, f	0	2
Ray, f	4	1	Manring, f	1	4
Makeever, f	1	0	Augenstein, f	0	0
J. Reece, f	0	1	Elliott, g	1	1
J. Fleming, c	7	0	Sharrock, g	5	6
D Fleming, c	2	0	Price, g	2	0
Rodgers, g	0	0			
Hildreth, g	2	2			
Alexander, g	0	0			
Gray, g	0	0			
Total	21	4	Total		9 13

Score by quarters

Martel	6	3	8	10—31
Caledonia	8	11	16	11—46

Official Coder.

TO HONOR WHISLER

WILLARD, O., Dec. 18—(AP)—Ohio State's star fullback, Joe Whisler, will be honored here—his hometown—Jan. 28 with an appreciation banquet. The dinner will be given by the Willard Elks lodge, and Wesley Fesler, Ohio State coach, will be the principal speaker.

Edison Outclasses Sparta Cagers, 63-45

Special to The Star

EDISON, Dec. 18—The Edison cage squad racked up its third Morrow County league win in three starts by outclassing Sparta here last night, 63-45. Maynard Goare hit for 22 points, but Sparta guard Perkins took game honors with 24. Edison took the Reserve game also, 41-34.

Edison—63	G	F	Sparta—45	G	F
Shipman, f	2	2	Hall, f	0	2
Fissel, f	1	0	Pruett, f	1	1
Wagline, f	1	2	Hatton, c	1	0
Hardman, c	5	1	Keller, g	2	2
Goare, g	11	0	Perkins, g	12	0
Graham, g	3	0	Hubbell, g	4	0
Total	28	5	Total		20 5

Score by quarters:

Edison	18	15	14	17—63
Sparta	10	9	19	7—45

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Special to The Star

BUCYRUS, Dec. 18—Al Pesek, head football and basketball coach at Bucyrus High school, indicated today he will have to be paid more money if he remains at his present post.

Pesek disclosed that he had received several "feelers" concerning coaching positions at several northwestern Ohio high schools. He also said a few colleges had contacted him.

The Bucyrus coach said he preferred to remain here but if no reasonable salary increase is forthcoming, he will be forced to accept a better-paying job. He declined to name the schools which had contacted him.

Pesek is serving his third year here as head coach and athletic director. His 1948 football team won the Northern Ohio league championship.

Pesek's present annual salary is $3,200 plus an additional $500 for work done during the summer months at the school's athletic field.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Sandy Saddler, 128, New York, stopped Terry Young, 126, New York, 10 (non-title).

DETROIT—Beau Jack, 139, Augusta, Ga., outpointed Leroy Willis, 137, Detroit, 10.

DENVER—Eddie Marotta, 126½, Cleveland, outpointed Freddie Mace, 128½, Denver, 8.

ASHLEY CAGERS WIN

Special to The Star

ASHLEY, Dec. 18 — Ashley High school defeated Galena 58-47 last night. Harold Davis led his team mates with 22 points. The Ashley Reserves also emerged victorious 25-11.

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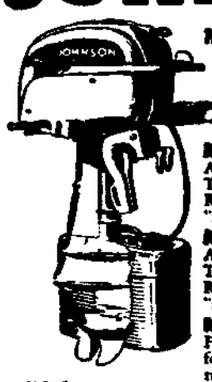

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LEGAL NOTICE

Kenneth Finicle, Wallace Finicle, Anna Rist, Jesse Rose, Lucille Conklin and Mrs C H Schagunn whose addresses are unknown will take notice that Charles M. Miller, Administrator of the Estate of John Taylor Finicle, deceased, on the 12th day of November, A. D. 1948 filed his Petition in the Probate Court of Marion County, Ohio, in Case Number 17780, alleging that the personal property of said decedent is insufficient to pay his debts and the costs of administration and that the decedent died seized of the following described real estate:

Situated in the Village of New Bloomington, County of Marion and State of Ohio and further described as follows.

Known as Lot No 219 in W Carey's Addition to the Village of New Bloomington (now Agosta), Ohio.

The prayer of said petition is for an order of sale of said premises to pay debts and costs of administration.

You will therefore, take notice that you are a party defendant and that you are required to answer to said cause on or before the 1st day of January, A. D., 1949.

Charles M. Miller, Administrator of the Estate of John Taylor Finicle.

Martin & Reed, Attorneys for the Administrator.

Nov 13,20,27,Dec.4,11,18,1948.

Read the Want Ads

N.Y. Stock Quotations

NEW YORK, Dec 18—(AP)—The stock market was mixed and quiet at the opening today Changes both ways were generally in minor fractions and numerous issues appeared on the tape unchanged.

A little ahead were American Smelting, Johns-Manville, Standard Oil (NJ) and Radio Corp. On the downside were Anaconda Copper, Goodyear Tire, Montgomery Ward and American Air Lines

Trading at Friday's final prices were Paramount Pictures, Barnsdall Oil and Packard Motors

Am Can	82⅜	Electric Auto-Lite	40¼	Penn Railroad	18⅝
Am Car & Fdy	32	Erie Railroad	12⅛	Phillips Petroleum	58⅞
Am Rad & St S	13⅛	General Electric	38⅜	Pullman	34¼
Am Smelting & R	53⅜	General Foods	34¼	Pure Oil	30⅜
Am Tel & Tel	150	General Motors	58⅝	Radio Corp of Am	12⅜
Am Tobacco	60	General Refract	23⅜	Republic Steel	26⅛
Anaconda Copper	32⅛	Goodrich	58¼	Sears-Roebuck	38
Armco Steel	25⅝	Goodyear	41¼	Servel Inc	9⅜
Atch. T. & S. F.	101⅜	Harb-Walker	23⅜	Shell Union	24⅝
Atlantic Refining	29⅜	Interlake Iron	12⅞	Socony-Vacuum	10⅛
Baldwin Loco	11¼	Int Harvester	27	Standard Oil Ind	39¼
Baltimore & Ohio	10⅝	Johns-Manville	28⅝	Standard Oil N J	73⅛
Bendix Aviation	34⅛	Kroger Grocers	44	Timken R. Bearing	40⅛
Bethlehem Steel	22⅝	Libbey-O-F Glass	45	TransAmerica	10⅜
Borden Co	40⅜	Mead Corp	15⅜	Union Carbide	41
Chesapeake & Ohio	21⅜	Mead Corp Pfd	84½	United Aircraft	22⅜
Chrysler	55⅜	Montgomery Ward	54⅜	U. S. Rubber	38⅜
Columbia Gas & El.	10⅜	National Biscuit	30½	U. S. Steel	71⅜
Continental Can	21⅛	National Dairy	28	West. El & Mfg.	32⅜
Continental Motors	5½	New York Central	12¼	Wheeling Steel	45¼
Cooper-Bessemer	26⅜	Norfolk & Western	88¼	Woolworth	44¼
Curtiss-Wright	7⅛	North American	15¼	Youngst. Sh & T.	72⅛
Douglas Aircraft	61⅜	Ohio Oil	22⅝	Sales	360,000

2 Hours in Working Day Found Most Dangerous

By The United Press

SAN FRANCISCO — The time for industrial workers to be careful is between 10 and 11 a. m. and 3 and 4 p. m.

That's when industrial accidents reach their peak.

The California department of industrial relations, analyzing accidents, finds that 14 per cent of all disabling industrial mishaps take place during the third hour of the work day, and 12 per cent during the third hour after lunch

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Marion Livestock

Hogs — Ma ket higher grade [illegible] 180 lbs, 180 lbs down [illegible] Good [illegible] down [illegible] sows

Cattle — Market steady [illegible] 32.00@35.00 good 28.00@32.00 medium 22.00@28.00 [illegible] Market steady [illegible] and up, are 28.00@32.00 medium 20.00@26.00 common [illegible] good butcher cows [illegible] medium 14.00@17.00 canners and cutters [illegible] butcher bulls 20.00@23.00

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Chicago

CHICAGO [illegible] (AP)—Salable hogs 300 [illegible] active, estimated [illegible] compared week ago; butchers under 220 lbs around steady, heavier weights 25@50 lower, sows [illegible] lower, most [illegible] weights over 300 lbs, weekly top 23.00, closing top 22.50

Salable cattle 500 (estimated) [illegible] given compared week ago; slaughter steers and [illegible] 1.00@2.00 lower, extreme reductions early, gave buyers the upper hand but extreme losses shaded somewhat near the close due to sharply curtailed rush; medium and good cows 1.00 lower, canners cutters and common cows steady to 50 lower, bulls 50 to [illegible] lower, vealers strong to 1.00 higher, stockers and feeders [illegible] 1.00 lower, general steer market 1 week since last spring; top 24.50 for load 1,450 lb choice 1,340 lb weights but many three loads sold above 23.00, most high good to choice steers 20.00@23.50, medium to average grades 21.00@23.50, choice yearlings up to 23.00, choice heifers in load lots topped 20.00, bulk good and choice heifers 24.00@25.50, most medium and good beef cows 18.00@19.50, canners and cutters 14.00@17.00, sausage bulls closed at 23.00 down mostly 22.50 and below, medium to choice vealers 28.00@32.00 to 32.00, good and choice feeding steers and yearlings 22.00@25.00, bulk medium grades 19.00@22.00

Salable sheep 200 (estimated) total not given compared week ago slaughter wooled lambs closed fully 50 lower, shorn offerings with No 1 and fall shorn skins 50 to 1.00 off, clipped lambs predominating at weekend fed yearlings wethers 50 lower, ewes to weak, local receipts slightly larger than week earlier, lambs predominating and buyer pressure against weight and breast of season, extreme top choice wooled native and fed western lambs 25.25, closing top 24.75, top shippers early 24.00, numerous comparable loads at close 24.00, week's bulk good and [illegible] slaughter lambs 23.00 [illegible] yearlings 22.00@23.00, choice [illegible] a little above, bulk [illegible] choice [illegible] good slaughter ewes [illegible] choice shorn [illegible] lights to 1.00, feeder lambs nominally negligible

GRAIN MARKET

Local Grain Market

(Produced Livestock Cooperative Commission Commission)

Friday price after 3 p. m.

Wheat $2.16, No 3 white oats 82

Range

CHICAGO, Dec 18—(AP)—Grains opened mixed on the board of trade today. Corn was a little lower on another boost in the agriculture department's estimate of this year's crop.

Wheat started ⅜ lower to ⅛ higher, December $2.37-$2.38½, corn was ¼-½ lower, December $1.42½, oats were ⅛ higher, December 86 and soybeans were ½ to 2 cents lower, December $2.57⅛.

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CHICAGO, Dec 18—(UNS) Grain table

Wheat	Open	10 a.m. quotes
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
December	2.38⅛	[illegible]
May	2.36	2.36
July	2.34⅝	2.34
Corn		
September	1.44	1.43⅝
December	1.43⅝	1.42
May	1.46⅜	1.45⅝
July	1.46	1.45⅝
Oats		
September	71	70⅝
December	76	75⅝
May	78	77⅝
July	78	77⅝
Soybeans		
December	2.57⅝	2.56
March	2.59	2.58
May	2.60	2.61⅜

Jailed Burglar Asks Latest Dope on Safes

By The United Press

NEW YORK—A man with an "R S F" address at Snipe, Tex., wrote to the Mosler Safe Co here asking for the free booklet, "What You Should Know About Safes" Because of the puzzling address, John Mosler, company executive, suggested to the Houston representative that a personal call be paid to the prospect

In a few days, Mosler received this response.

"The prospect is serving a life term in the Retrieve State Farm, a unit of the Texas prison system, for repeated burglaries.

"P.S.—I did not leave the booklet"

Stibnite, Idaho, is named after an antimony ore.

Programs on the Air

All times given are Eastern Standard Time. Erroneous listings if any, are caused by last-minute changes made by stations and networks.

	NATIONAL WLW 700	AMERICAN WHBC 1480	COLUMBIA WJR 760	MUTUAL WKRC 550
SATURDAY (Night)				
5:00	Take A Number	Music Session	Boys Choir	Take a Number
5:15	"	"	Utica A. Choir	True or False
5:30	Mr., Mrs. America	"	Man on Farm	"
5:45	To be announced	Rose Room	"	"
6:00	Voice of Enquirer	News	Hainline-News	Dinah Winner
6:15	News	Reporter	F Martin Or.	Sweeney Sports
6:30	Midwest Hayride	Daily Deadline	To be ann	Bert Stille
6:45	"	News Head-up	Industry News	Catholic News
7:00	Saturday Night	Texas Band	Make Way for	Hawaii Calls
7:15	Jamboree	"	Youth	"
7:30	Vic Damone	Bilbilly Parade	Va'gan Maree	To be ann.
7:45	"	"	"	Mel Allen
8:00	Hollywood Star	Kay Starr	Guy Lombardo	"
8:15	Theater	"	"	"
8:30	Truth, Consequences	Famous Jury Trials	Music of Am	Georgia Crack
8:45	"	"	"	"
9:00	Hit Parade	Gang Busters	Midwest Hayride	G. Hunter
9:15	"	"	"	Lanny Ross
9:30	Judy Canova	Amazing Mr Malone	This Man	Meet the Boss
9:45	"	"	"	"
10:00	Dennis Day	Vincent Lopez	To be ann.	Chicago Theatre
10:15	"	"	"	"
10:30	Grand Ol Opry	Music	Queen and Court	"
10:45	"	"	"	"
11:00	News	News	News	Variety Show
11:15	Morton Downey	Club 1480	Lake Success	"
11:30	Dance Orchestra	"	Military Ball	Orchestra
11:45	"	"	"	"
SUNDAY				
10:00	Symphony Prog.	Church	Comic Man	Bible Class
10:00	Circle Arrow	Concert	Church of Air	Fr Sheen Voice
11:00	Eternal Light	Em. Luth. Ch.	News	Rev Mills
11:30	Turner Brothers	"	Wesley League	"
12:00	World Front	News	News	Life Begins
12:30	Bob Schreve	Piano Playhse	In Our Opinion	Lutheran Hour
1:00	Tabernacle	Mr. Interviews	Mother's Aid'm	Shirer-News
1:30	Symphonette	We View It	Wally Webber	Radio Wrld'rs
2:00	America United	Em. Bapt. Ch.	Symphonette	Music Am.
2:30	Who Said That	Mr President	String Music	Loves
3:00	Home in Paris	Country Road	New York	Juvenile Jury
3:30	One Man's Family	Texas Band	Philharmonic	Our Home
4:00	Quiz Kids	Boys Town	"	House of Myst.
4:15	"	Choir	"	"
4:30	Nick Carter	Opera Album	Skyw'y to St'rs	Mysteries
5:00	Jane Pickens	Quiet Please	To be ann	The Shadow
5:15	"	"	Sammy Kaye	"
5:30	Robert Merrill	Cogatorsy	Strike It Rich	Quick as a Flash
5:45	"	"	"	"
6:00	Roy Rogers	Drew Pearson	Family Hour	Roy Rogers
6:15	"	Bands of Land	"	"
6:30	Ozzie & Harriet	Greatest Story Ever Told	Variety	Nick Carter
6:45	"	"	"	"
7:00	Jack Benny	Go for the House	Jose Autry	Sherlock Holmes
7:15	"	"	"	"
7:30	Phil Harris	Nazarene Church	Amos & Andy	Behind the News
7:45	"	"	"	"
8:00	Charlie McCarthy	To the Music	Spade Adventures	A. L. Alexand'r
8:15	"	"	"	"
8:30	Fred Allen	"	Philip Marlowe	Music Memo
8:45	"	"	"	"
9:00	Merry Go Round	W Winchell	Helen Hayes	Under Arrest
9:15	"	Lovalia Parsons	"	"
9:30	Music Album	Theatre Guild	Our Miss Brooks	Jimmy Fidler
9:45	"	"	"	News Views
10:00	Take—Leave It	"	Lum & Abner	Back to God
10:15	"	"	"	"
10:30	Horace Heidt	Decision Now	Cabin B-13	Music Time
10:45	"	We Care	"	Pick for Think
11:00	Walter Winchell	News	Bowley-News	News-Music
11:15	Lowell Parson	Sign Off	LN in Action	Swanee Hour
11:30	Dave Garroway	.....	Starlight	Orchestra
11:45	"	.....	Symphony	"
MONDAY (Night)				
5:00	Girl Marries	Challenge of	Lum-n-News	Santa Claus
5:15	Portia	the Yukon	Herb Shriner	Superman
5:30	Plain Bill	Sky King	Tony Weitzel	Capt. Midnight
5:45	Farrell	"	Quartet	Tom Mix
6:00	Easy Listening	News	News	Dinner Winner
6:15	News	Dial Show	Bud Guest	Sweeney Sports
6:30	Music Time	Daily Deadline	Music Metro.	Bert Stille
6:45	Three Star Extra	Remember	Lowell Thomas	Melody Time
7:00	Supper Club	News	Beulah	Fulton Lewis
7:15	News	Win with Wise	Jack Smith	Show Time
7:30	Jimmy Fidler	Lone Ranger	Club 15	News Comment
7:45	Kaltenborn-News	"	Murrow-News	"
8:00	Cavalcade of Am.	Railroad Hour	Inner Sanctum	The Falcon
8:15	"	"	"	"
8:30	Howard Barlows	"	Arth. Godfrey	Gregory Hood
8:45	"	CIO Program	"	"
9:00	Telephone Hour	Glenn Osser	Radio Theatre	Gabriel Heatter
9:15	"	"	"	Newsreel
9:30	Dr. I. Q.	Stars in the	"	Fish-Hunt Club
9:45	"	Night	"	"
10:00	Contented Hour	Men Behind	Friend Irma	Secret Mission
10:15	"	Music	"	"
10:30	To be announced	Music	Bob Hawk	Dunkin Corn'y
10:45	Latest on Record	"	"	Orchestra
11:00	News	News	News	All the News
11:15	Pulse of the Press	Club 1480	Today's Sports	Orchestra
11:30	Dance Orchestra	"	Prelude to	Orchestra
11:45	"	"	Dreaming	"

WANT ADS DIAL 2314

LOCAL WANT AD RATES

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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Ads ordered for [illegible] days and stopped before [illegible] will be charged at the [illegible] rate for the number of days they appeared. No refunds can be made on [illegible] ads that are stopped by the advertiser before [illegible] days. Want Ad orders may be given over the telephone and may be charged if the advertiser has a regular account with The Star. Cash must accompany [illegible] ads. Want Ad orders will be received up to 4 P. M. on the day prior to publication. Want Ad orders will be received up to 12 noon on Saturday for publication on Monday. Want Ads will be accepted [illegible] by telephone and date to appear must be specified. Corrections of errors will be made after the first insertion only. The Marion Star reserves the right to edit or reject any ads deemed objectionable.

2—LODGE NOTICES

Odd Chapter No [illegible] R. A. Presentation of 50 year pins, Christmas program with the degree team, potluck supper Monday Dec 20 at 6 p. m.

[illegible] whose stomach is [illegible] with [illegible] Gas [illegible] Stuart Drug Store

ALL Members of Local [illegible] LAW [illegible] special membership meeting scheduled for Sunday [illegible] has been postponed and will be held on Monday after [illegible] at 2:45 p. m. It is important that all members attend to discuss the new contract

White Shrine Ceremonial Short business meeting and Christmas party Tuesday, Dec 21 at 7:30

3—SPECIAL NOTICES

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4—PLACES TO GO

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5—Travel and Transportation

DRIVING to Fort Worth, Texas, Dec 22. Passengers wanted to share expenses and help with driving Dial 9308

Going to church tomorrow?

Ride the city buses

LEAVING for Florida on or about Dec 21. Anyone interested in sharing expenses and driving Phone 2436 Delaware

6—LOST AND FOUND

LOST Billfold containing money Return to 317 E Farming St or Dial 4867 and receive reward

Pair NU-Vue glasses and other articles on Belmont St. Dial 2183

LOST—Garnet pin Tuesday afternoon between Schaffner Funeral Home and York cemetery. Finder please call 88 671 or write Mrs Carl Waltz, Route 7, Marion Ohio Reward

8—MALE HELP WANTED

MARRIED farm hand by month with good reference Write Box 45 Marion Star

WANTED Young man with car to work with boys age 16 boys in Marion and adjoining counties. Permanent position. Good salary, plus car all wanted. Reliable firm. Give full information in first letter. Write Box 39, care of Star

PIN BOYS

Dial 9265

FARM hand—must have dairy experience References required Apply in person 375 N Grand Ave

COUNTER MAN and MEAT CUTTER A & B MARKET 160 N. Main

WANTED Barber at once Attractive working conditions Good wages 18 E Fourth St, Mansfield O Lightfoot's Barber Service

Grain first class feed plant mechanic and millwright State experience age and reference Write Box 48, Marion Star

9—FEMALE HELP WANTED

PRACTICAL nurse for maternity case

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WANTED Married couple man for farm work, wife for housekeeper [illegible] Phone Du Bois 9572 Delaware wants Home Rt 1 Delaware

11—SITUATIONS WANTED

WOMAN wants housework Will live in Reference Write Box [illegible]

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ALL kinds of [illegible] and [illegible] work

WE KILL

Rats, mice, roaches, bed bugs, ants, moths, mice and [illegible] crawling things

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[illegible] Dial 3016

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Plastering of [illegible] also new [illegible] Ashley [illegible]

ROBINSON

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Big [illegible] Dial 4248

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Made to order any size or copy Wanted. Prompt service

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Sales and Service Dial 2671

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Lime — Stone

Hauled and Spread

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RADIOS—(Combination and Portable)
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RECORDS—20c each
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'Musical Merchandise
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Many sufferers ... this ... depends on
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This remedy is Marion's best BILE THINNER—2 in 1 different
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Turkeys and Ducks
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... mile ...

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Fresh Pork
... by ... Today
All 1 ... 45 P
Sweet Cider
LAWRENCE MEAT MARKET
Clover Farm Store
A H WILSON & SONS
GRADE FED ... MEATS CAN OF TIDER BATTLE'S KEROSENE WHITE GAS FILLED OF ALL KINDS
... Local ... Welding ... Gas and Air ... where you break down ... We deliver
1014 N Main Dial 3455

33—SEEDS—PLANTS—FLOWERS

LONG AND SHORT NEEDLE CHRISTMAS TREES
Our prices are right we are going to SELL ours
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Christmas wreaths and door pieces Order early
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10 ... nursery grown spruce $ ... and 150 ... high delivered in tube ... We plant later
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PROSPECT AND BELLEFONTAINE E. CENTER AND JEFFERSON
This ad worth 25c purchase of trade

LONG NEEDLE PINE TREES
3 to 7 foot 48c and 97c
12 foot and ... base $6.00
Make Your Selection
We Deliver
857 Fahey St Dial 6347

35—PUBLIC SALES

AUCTION SALE
OF new household furniture and appliances at Caledonia O
Tuesday, December 21
Afternoon and evening
Sale starts at 1:30 in the afternoon and 7 in the evening
New Appliances
Refrigerators washers radios laundry stoves hotplates, boilers, pop up toasters etc
New Furniture
Livingroom suites bedroom suites, breakfast sets dining room table and chairs desks cedar chests odd chest of drawers odd beds coil springs Durane tapestry and frieze tilt back chairs platform rockers occasional chairs end tables lamp tables cocktail tables highchairs telephone desk hassock Axminster rugs linoleum rugs floor lamps ... lot of table lamps card tables child's rocker tricycle strollers and other articles too numerous to mention We are cutting our inventory tremendously Come and get a ... Terms of sale—cash
Caledonia Furniture Store
Caledonia O
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Treated West Virginia, furnace mix. Two tons to a customer.
$9.97 per ton
Get your share
City Coal and Service
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LUMP COAL
$11.25 per ton
... three ton or more.
149 Lafayette Dial 2781

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37—COAL HAULERS

New Lexington Coal—$11 ton
Lump and ... delivered
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Good Lump Coal
... Dial 82429

38—GRINDING—MILLING

FIREPLACE WOOD
... Ash ...
Place order ... Prices ...
We ... your ...
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... date ... Lots ...

39—Want to Buy—Trade—Rent

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Joe Hawthorne Green Camp O

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LATE ... Ford ... Ford ... heater ... new ... $6 ... 6 ... tax ... cash ...
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1936 BUICK Four-Door—overhauled, new seat covers, good tires, heater. A good buy at $275.
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Cars
Will Know It!
1937 Plymouth Coupe.
1940 Hudson Coach.
1940 Chevrolet Special DeLuxe Four-Door.
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1941 Chevrolet Coach
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Comfort
All Winter Long in
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Four-Door Sedan.
1946 Buick
Convertible Coupe.
1946 Plymouth
Convertible Coupe.
1946 Pontiac
Four-Door Sedan.
1941 Buick
Special Sedan.
1940 Chevrolet
Special DeLuxe Four-Door Sedan.
1938 Buick
Sedan.
1947 Dodge
1½ Ton.
1947 G.M.C.
1½ Ton.
DANNER
Buick Co.
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Roadmaster
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1936 Ford
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Two-Door Sedan
1937 Chrysler
Four-Door Sedan.
1939 Plymouth Coupe
It's a Bargain!!
1939 Ford
Tudor Sedan.
1940 Plymouth
Two-Door Sedan. See it.
1940 Pontiac
Two-Door Sedan
1941 Mercury
Four-Door Sedan. Radio and heater.
1941 Chevrolet
Two-Door Sedan. A nice one.
1941 Chevrolet
Special DeLuxe Two-Door Sedan.
1941 DeSoto
Two-Door Sedan. Priced right. New paint.
1941 Dodge
Four-Door Sedan
1946 Plymouth
Special DeLuxe Four-Door Sedan. A good clean car. See it.
1946 Ford DeLuxe
Tudor Sedan. Radio and heater. A dandy—priced low.
1946 Mercury
Two-Door Sedan with radio, heater, seat covers.
1946 Plymouth
Special DeLuxe Two-Door Sedan.
1947 Chevrolet
Aerosedan. Radio, heater, 6,000 actual miles.
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Special DeLuxe Four-Door Sedan. Radio, heater and very low mileage.
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I'LL BE SORRY TO SEE YOU GO-
WHAT TIME DOES YOUR TRAIN LEAVE?
I DUNNO-
FATHER SEZ I GOTTA BE READY TO LEAVE TOMORROW- HE'LL CALL FOR ME AT MR. MAST'S HOUSE- I DIDN'T WANNA GO WITH-OUT SAYIN' GOOD-BYE AN-
NO TEARS, MA- WE SHOULD BE HAPPY FOR THE CHILD'S SAKE-
MAYBE SO- BUT I HAVE A FEELIN' I'LL NEVER SEE THE LITTLE SKIPPER AGAIN-
DARRELL McCLURE

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REPAIR OLD COPY OF MADONNA AND CHILD

CINCINNATI, Dec. 18—(UP)—A copy of the Madonna and Child made by an unknown Sixteenth century Italian painter is being restored at the Eden art museum here.

The dark-eyed portrait had hung in the baptistry of the Holy Cross monastery here since 1892 when the Passionist fathers built the church. It will be rehung in the monastery when restored.

Father Charles of Holy Cross monastery said the original Madonna and Child was painted by St Luke the Evangelist in 60 A D. and that for 1,500 years the popes forbade any reproductions of it. St Francis Borgia general of the Jesuit order, secured permission in the Sixteenth century to have two copies made of the painting. One copy is now in the St Stanislaus monastery in Rome and the other is being restored by the museum. Father Charles said the artist who has the delicate job of removing five or six layers of overpainting. With about one-third of the work done the sparkling renaissance technique is becoming visible, according to museum officials.

The artist also is removing in squares of two inches the crumbling canvas backing.

When the painting is rehung it will be dedicated to the late Rev Alexander Kilgor, a native of Cincinnati and Passionist father for 50 years who died Sept 25 at Des Moines, Ia.

Until the revolution, New York had been under British rule for 110 years.

EPWORTH CIRCLE MEETS

For a meeting of the Mary Martha circle of Epworth Methodist church Wednesday night, Mrs Martha Clutter was hostess in her home at 874 Marion avenue. An auction of bazaar articles was held, with Mrs Isabelle Goyer as auctioneer. Mrs. Ruth Kinney read the Christmas story from the Bible for devotions, followed by a poem, "The Wise Men." Program topic, "Miners and the Christmas Lights," was presented by Mrs Valeta Mae. A gift exchange was held. Mrs Valeta Weiss assisted in serving.

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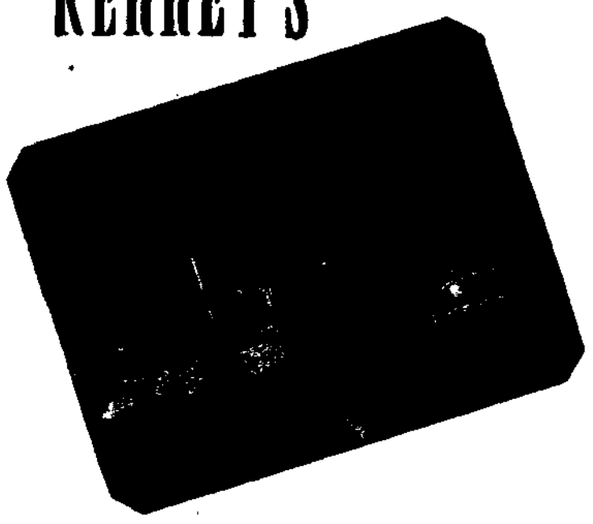

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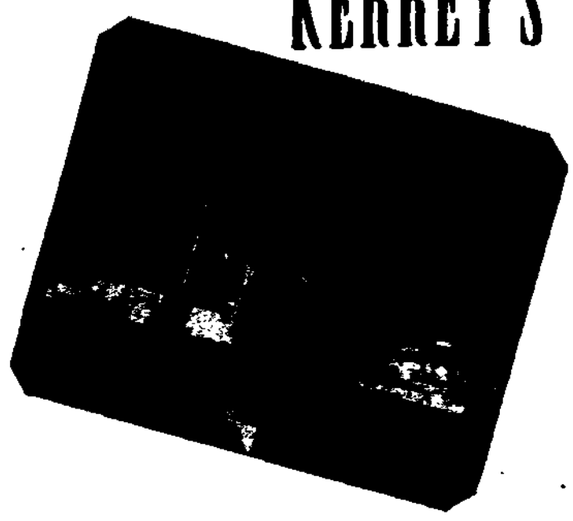

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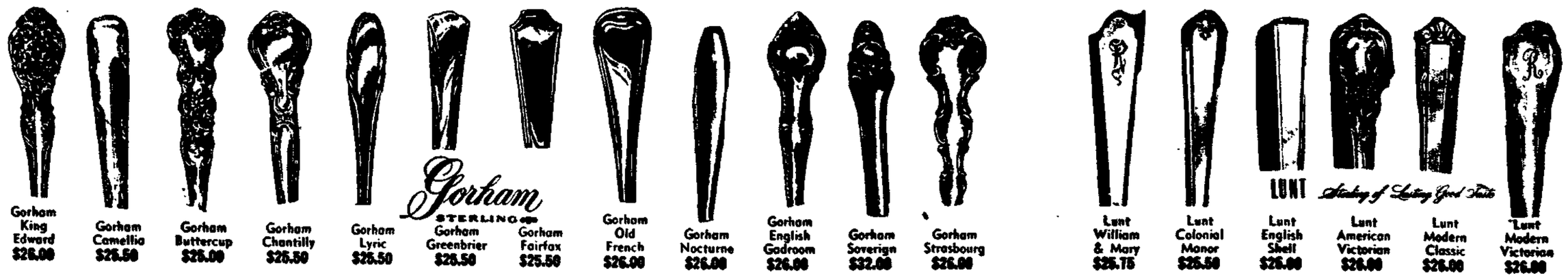

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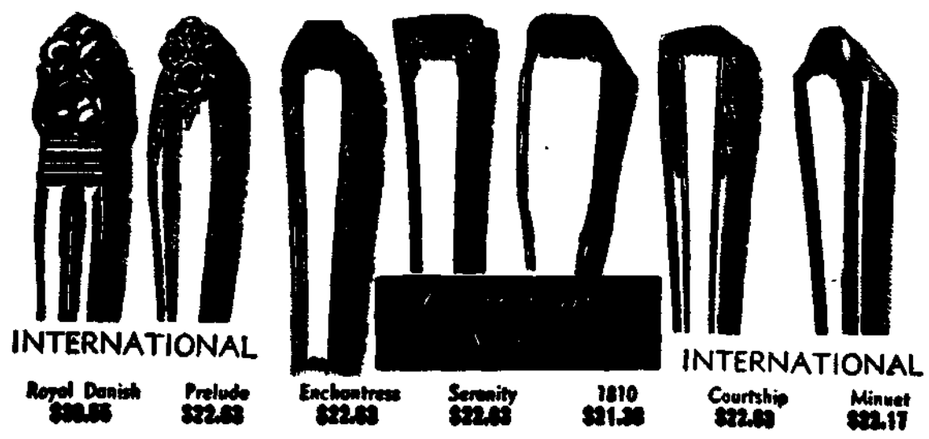

Royal Danish $26.85
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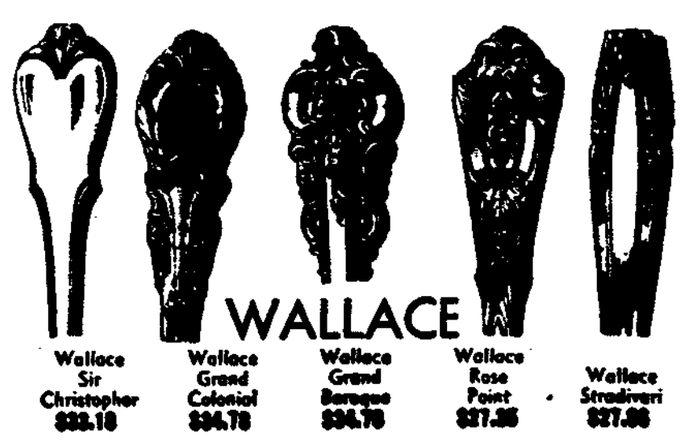
Courtship $22.83
Minuet $22.17



Wallace Sir Christopher $33.18
Wallace Grand Colonial $34.78
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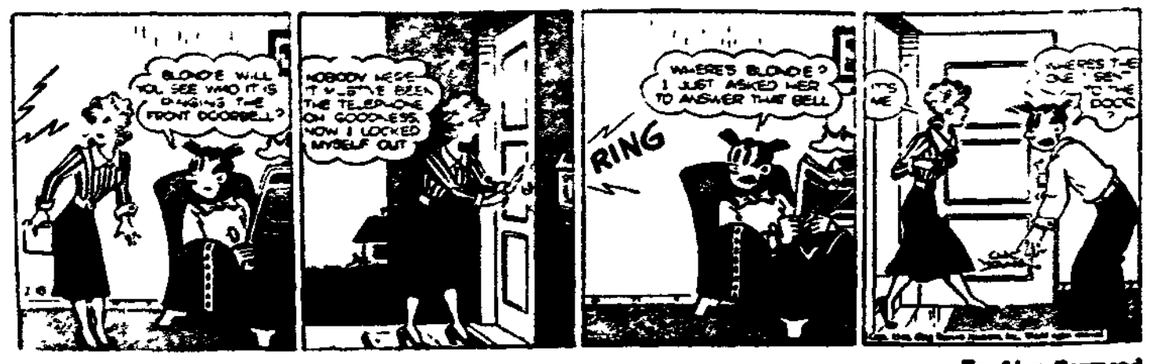
Steve Canyon By Milton Caniff

HE FOUND MASTER KIMBERLY THROUGH HIS HOTEL REGISTRATION, FOLLOWED HIM TO A PLALE RENTED YESTERDAY BY A YOUNG WOMAN ANSWERING THE DESCRIPTION OF THE CHEETAH GIRL. HE IS THERE NOW, MISS FANCY! IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE?
YES—WHOM DO I SEE HERE TO GET A GUN PERMIT?

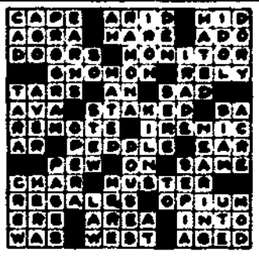
Blondie By Chic Young


BLONDE WILL YOU SEE WHO IT IS RINGING THE FRONT DOORBELL?
NOBODY HERE, IT JUST BEEN THE TELEPHONE OH GOODNESS, NOW I LOCKED MYSELF OUT
RING
WHERE'S BLONDE? I JUST ASKED HER TO ANSWER THAT BELL
IT'S ME
WHERE'S THE ONE I SENT TO THE DOOR?

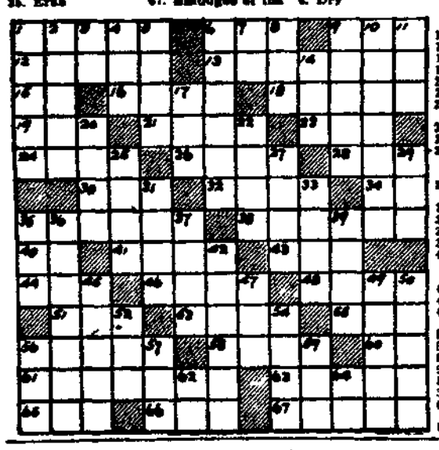
Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Pacing upstream on a glacier
6. Neckpiece
9. Over the top
12. Mark of omission
13. Notice
15. Higher
16. Honey container
18. Dress the feathers
19. Evergreen tree
21. Small armadillo
22. Pikelike fish
24. Chafe
25. Desire
26. Chart
29. Pile
32. Gas of the air
34. Proceed
35. Eras
38. Diminished
40. Behold
41. Feminine name
43. Metalliferous rock
44. Southern state, abbr.
46. Burrows
48. Without light
51. The herb eve
53. Vex
55. Hawaiian garland
58. Ancient Greek stone slab
59. Fresh-water porpoise
60. Symbol for selenium
61. Sea robbers
63. Money hoarder
64. Behave
66. Limb
67. Smudges of ink

DOWN
1. Shuffle
2. N. American animal
3. Conjunction
4. Dry
5. Halt
6. Part of a sewing machine
7. Siberian river
8. Serpent
9. Fatty part of milk
10. Ordinary
11. Write
14. Unit of work
17. Cry of the cat
20. City in Nevada
22. On the ocean
25. Flat headed nail
27. Tramp
29. Perfume
31. Third brightest star in the Big Dipper
33. Ancient ointment
35. Fairy
36. Expedient
37. Move
39. Kind of duck
42. Excessive thought of self
45. Prevent
47. Iniquity
49. Put into type again
50. Bleaching vats
52. Wing
54. Branch
56. City in Belgium
57. Luzon native
59. Trouble
62. Comparative ending
64. Consequently



Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle



Thimble Theater

Rip Kirby By Alex Raymond

Dick Tracy By Chester Gould

SCENE: FELTON'S BARBER-SHOP—ABOUT HALF A MILE FROM THE HOME OF B O PLENTY.
YES, THIS IS FELTON'S BARBERSHOP. WHAT? LONG DISTANCE?
NO, I WON'T ACCEPT A TELEPHONE CALL FOR $6.50! I SHOULD SAY NOT!
WHAT? WHAT? WHAT? WELL THAT'S DIFFERENT! YES, YES! YES! SURE!
I THINK GERTRUDE'S DYING, MR MACY. PLEASE, PLEASE, HAVEN'T YOU ANY WORD ABOUT SPARKLE?

MODEST MAIDENS By Jay Alan

"I did my Christmas shopping early last year but I hid the presents someplace and never DID find them!"

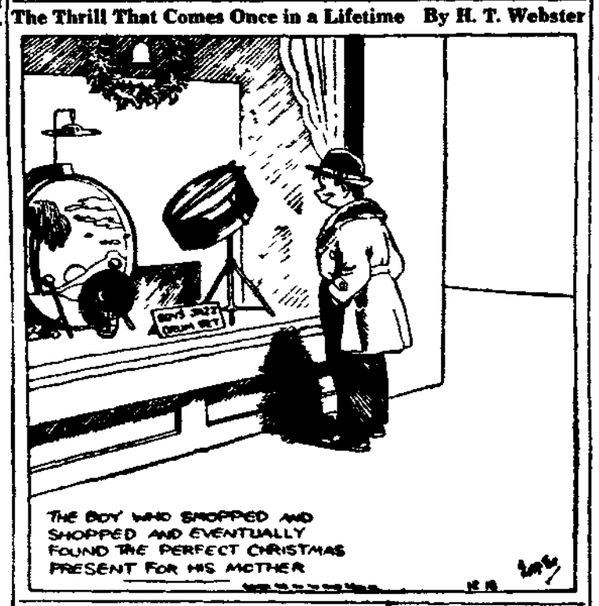
Superman By Wayne Boring

SUPERMAN! WELL—ANYTHING I CAN DO FOR YOU?
CAMPER, I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN QUESTIONING KENT ABOUT HIS MOTIVE FOR KIDNAPING YOU! YOU KNOW, HE SURRENDERED TO THE SHERIFF TODAY.
ER—DID HE? WELL—NATURALLY I'M CURIOUS, BUT—
IN THAT CASE, LET'S GO!
SAY—WHERE ARE YOU TAKING ME? THIS ISN'T THE WAY TO THE JAIL!
NO—BUT DON'T WORRY, I'LL GET YOU THERE SOON ENOUGH!

Gasoline Alley By Frank King

BOY, IT'S A DIFFERENT WORLD WHEN YOU GET INTO THE COUNTRY!
RESTFUL, ISN'T IT, DARLING?
YOU CAN'T REALIZE THAT EVERYTHING IS TURMOIL IN THE WORLD, THE NATION, AND AT THE SHOP.
EVERYWHERE, EXCEPT HERE.
HERE A PERFECT CURRER & MINK
I DON'T SEE ANY.

The Thrill That Comes Once in a Lifetime By H. T. Webster



Joe Palooka By Ham Fisher

HOWDY, MA'AM. HE AIN'T MY FRIEND IS WANTIN' T'RENT A ROOM
I'LL BE DELIGHTED TO SHOW IT TO YOU I HOPE YOU'LL LIKE IT
C'MON HE, HUMPH!
I HOPE YOU LIKE IT, MAMA AND I CAN REARRANGE THE FURNITURE IF YOU LIKE..?
UH IT'LL DO, MA'M.... IF YA'LL JUST TAKE A COUPLA RIBBONS OFFA TH' CHAIRS AN' STUFF
IT'S PURTY NICE. THANK YA.

Terry and the Pirates By George Wunder

BRRR! LOOKIT GHOST AND SWEATY. DID YOU HAVE TO PICK SUCH WELL-VENTILATED DISGUISES?
YOU WANTED 'EM TO LOOK LEAKY, DIDN'T YOU, PATTY?
LATER, AT THE CITY'S OUTPOSTS WHERE DEFENDING GARRISON AND BESIEGING REBELS CROUCH IN RAIN-FLOODED ENTRENCHMENTS — AND WATCH.
GET THAT GLADYETTE DOWN, BILGY, BEFORE SOMEBODY YELLS FOR ANTI-TANK FIRE!
LATER, YET, AT A REBEL COMMAND POST...
O.K., SO YOU'RE A COLONEL! HE STILL DON'T TALK TO ANYBODY BUT THE BIG BOSS..

The Gumps By Gus Edson

I'VE NOTICED ALL THE SCHOOL BOOKS BY PRINCE CHARMING OF THE PARK AND DR. TREE ARE THE SAME MAN!
YOU DID? BUT WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL US YOU KNEW?!
I DON'T WANT TO UNDERSTAND NOW—MY OPERATION JUST HAS TO BE SUCCESSFUL! YOU KNOW WHY, DON'T YOU?
CERTAINLY, DEAR—YOU WANT TO SEE THE SUNSET ONCE MORE, AND—
BOTHER THE SUNSET—I WANT TO MARRY THE DOCTOR! AND AN EYE SURGEON CAN'T AFFORD TO HAVE A BLIND WIFE THAT HE OPERATED ON AND FAILED TO CURE—HE WOULDN'T GET ANOTHER DIME'S WORTH OF BUSINESS!

WOMEN FLOCK INTO MEDICAL PROFESSION

By International News Service

MORGANTOWN, W. Va. — American women, once a fixture around the home, soon will swell the ranks of the medical profession.

At least that's the opinion of Dean E. J. Van Liere of the West Virginia University School of Medicine. He says that if the present trend continues there will be more women doctors in practice throughout the country.

The educator points out the since the war there have been large numbers of co-eds studying in medical schools. He said:

"While the war veterans now have returned in great numbers to claim a majority of the openings in accredited schools, the women medical students gained a foothold during the war and the net result seems to be that more of them will be enrolled from year to year."

Praises Women Doctors

Dean Van Liere long has believed that women should play a more prominent part in medicine, and he has only praise for the female medical students.

He says they give close attention to their studies, are keen—sometimes brilliant — and have won the respect of their male classmates.

Dean Van Liere says that girl graduates of the University's two-year medical school have encountered no difficulty in obtaining entrance to other schools for complexion of their studies.

In addition, he says, they are finding excellent opportunities in the fields of psychiatry, pediatrics, X-ray, and obstetrics at the conclusion of their internships.

Turn to Surgery

Others, according to Dean Van Liere, turn exclusively to surgery, and still others go into general practice.

This doesn't mean that women doctors intend to give up marriage and children for the sake of a medical career. Dean Van Liere said many women students he knows plan to take time out from medicine to rear families, and then return to practice.

Co-eds who completed their studies at West Virginia last June will be accepted as medical students at such prominent schools as Harvard, Medical College of Virginia, and the University of Georgia.

SEEING DOUBLE

By The United Press

SAN FRANCISCO — One lecturer solved the problem of vision-obstructing women's hats. He had a large glass showcase installed in the lobby of the theater. Women with huge headpieces left them in the showcase. Result: everyone got to see the hats and, incidentally, the lecturer.

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SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK By R. J. Scott

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THE HUMAN FOOT IS ARCHED BECAUSE IT IS THE STRONGEST STRUCTURE TO SUPPORT A WEIGHT.
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ARE PUMPKINS KNOWN ANYWHERE IN THE WILD STATE?
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CHRISTMAS SEAL RESPONSE URGED

Marion Countians Urged To Return Contributions.

If you haven't mailed your return on the 1943 Christmas Health Seals, do so at once. Christmas and, in addition to helping some tuberculosis patient on the road to recovery, make Christmas a really merry one for the Marion County Tuberculosis association.

We hope to have all the returns in before Christmas," Mrs. Walter E. Myers, executive secretary said today. We know she added "that it is an oversight in the rush and bustle of the holiday season but it would help a lot just to get our work done by Christmas."

To date contributions total $3,555.95 approximately $125 less than was on hand on the record at the same time last year. Reminders, in the form of follow-up letters will go in the mail Monday and it is the hope of the association that all outstanding seals will be accounted for before the end of next week.

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"MYSTERY PLANE." The stately interior of this U. S. Air Force Lockheed Constellation shows the "executive stateroom which reportedly was too swank for President Truman who prefers his less glamorous DC-6. The "mystery plane," said to have been outfitted for use as a flying flagship for President Dewey, now is at Mitchell Field. According to an Air Force spokesman it is the first of 10 Constellations being bought to modernize the Air Transport Command. The plane known as a C-121, holds 30 passengers plus a crew of six.

Says Starvation Kills Many Chronically Ill

CLEVELAND Dec 18— (INS)—Starvation, rather than basic organic diseases, kills a large proportion of chronically ill persons.

That was the opinion expressed by Dr Joseph I Goodman, director of the Cuyahoga county nursing home and head of Mount Sinai hospital's diabetic clinic, in an article in the current issue of the Ohio State Medical Journal.

The starvation among chronic patients he attributed to the failure of their appetite to select the needs of their bodies.

He also said that chronically ill patients are still permitted to select for themselves diets which cannot be expected to sustain life, even though surveys have shown an alarming number of patients are undernourished.

Group at Caledonia Will Present Drama

Special costumes and scenery have been made and constructed by members of the Christian Youth Fellowship of the Caledonia Church of Christ for use in their presentation of a drama, "Where Is He?" Sunday at 8 p. m. at the church. Taking part in the presentation of song and drama will be nearly 30 C. Y. F. members in addition to nursery, primary and junior departments boys and girls. An offering will be taken at the service to be sent to the Grundy Mountain Mission School at Grundy, Va.

Name Galion Red Cross Fund Drive Chairman

Special to The Star

GALION—The 1949 Red Cross fund campaign to be held in March will be directed by F. A. W. Liddell who was named chairman by the executive board of the Galion chapter this week.

Liddell is director of music in the Galion public schools and vice president-elect of Kiwanis club.

First visit of the Blood Mobile in Galion will be made Feb 3, it was announced. The blood program committee is headed by Rev. Herbert S. Garnes Jr.

Bind Alger Man Over To Hardin Co. Grand Jury

Special to The Star

KENTON—Sammy Fields 19, of Alger is in the Hardin county jail awaiting grand jury action on a charge of cutting with intent to kill or wound to which he pleaded innocence when arraigned before Justice Worley Smith here Friday. Bond was set at $1,000.

Fields is accused of cutting Ottis Collingsworth, 27, of Alger following an altercation at the latter's home. Fields surrendered to Cincinnati police Wednesday and was brought back to Kenton by Hardin county sheriff R. R. Clark Thursday.

KILLED BY HIT-SKIPPERS

COLUMBUS, Dec 18- (AP)- Two autos struck and killed 70-year-old John Lutsch of Columbus last night as he attempted to cross a street. Drivers of the autos did not stop, police reported.

RICHWOOD O.E.S. INSTALLS OFFICERS

Special to The Star

RICHWOOD — More than 100 members and guests were present for the installation of 1949 officers of Mt Carmel Chapter No. 62 O.E.S., Tuesday night.

Mrs. Gwendolyn Moyer was installed worthy matron and Pearl Johnston, worthy patron. Other officers installed were associate matron, Mrs. Lydia Bell, associate patron Clayton Johnston secretary Mrs. Ruth Spain, treasurer Genevieve Johnston conductress, Eula Jeanne Gulliford, assistant conductress Mrs. Henrietta Sullivan chaplain, Mrs. Laverne Ogan marshal, Mrs. Helen Robinson organist, Maragret Ann Riley, Adah Mrs. Betty McMahon, Ruth, Mrs. Eileen Mosher, Esther, Mrs. Leland Johnston, Martha, Mrs. Judy Roberts, Electa, Mrs. Christine Randall warder, Mrs. Margaret Moyer, sentinel, Zane Randall.

Mrs. Esta Sanders was installing officer Mrs. Lucile Davis installing marshal and Mrs. Thelma Lee, installing conductress. Mrs. Blanche Myer of Troy, O., a personal friend of the newly installed worthy matron, was installing chaplain. Organist was Mrs. Gladys Winter.

The rooms were decorated in keeping with the Christmas season Mrs. Mae Dickason was chairman of the decorating committee, Mrs. Lucile Davis chairman of the dining room and Mrs. Marguerite Hastings chairman of the kitchen.

Mrs. Walsh Hostess To Presbyterian Circle

Mrs. James Walsh of East Washington avenue was hostess when Circle No. 1 of the Ladies Aid society of the First Presbyterian church met Thursday night for a Christmas party. Mrs. A. J. Lanzer leader read a Christmas poem and [illegible] Mrs. Gerald Waite read the Christmas story from the second chapter of St. Luke. The study hour was conducted by Mrs. Stella Krause who read a short article titled "Tranquility" and presented a reading "A Tree for Two." The rooms throughout were decorated in keeping with the Christmas season and appointments for a potluck supper centered on a miniature frosted Christmas tree. Mrs. Lanzer gave a report of the general and meeting after which the meeting was turned over to the newly elected leader Mrs. H. E. Shackelford, who named her committees for the coming year. Mrs. Juliana Phelps daughter of the hostess and Mrs. Ella Hall were guests. Mrs. Phelps assisted her mother in entertaining.

GETS LIFE SENTENCE

CLEVELAND, Dec 18 (AP)— The fatal shooting of a 71-year-old grocer last June 2 brought a sentence of life imprisonment last night to William E. Smith 36, a porter. A jury of four men and eight women deliberated five hours before convicting Smith and recommending mercy. The defense argued Smith shot to defend himself from a butcher knife in the hands of John Varga, the grocer, while the two argued over change for a $5 bill.

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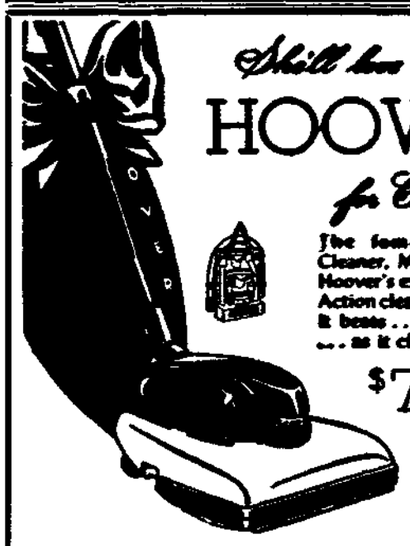

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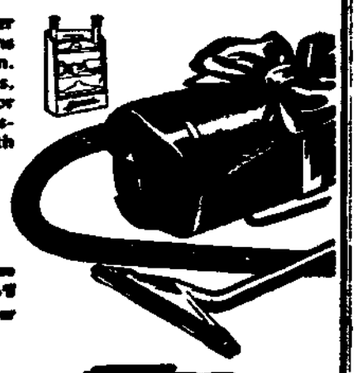

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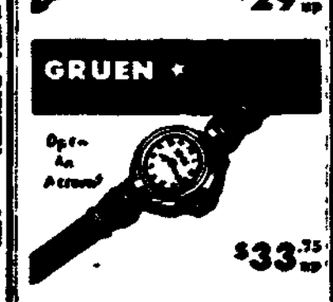

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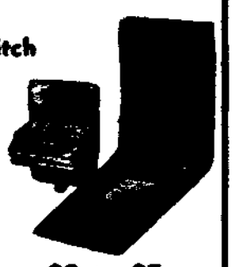

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Social Affairs

THE Christmas dance for members of the Twenty Thirty club will be held this evening at Columbian hall with Glenn Johnson and his band playing the program. Dancing will be from 9 to 12 o'clock and the dance will be semi-formal. Mr. and Mrs Harry Zantell are chairmen of the host and hostess committee and assisting are Mr and Mrs. Jack Tozzer, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swartz and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, Mr. and Mrs. David Hughes.

DR AND MRS. N. SIFRITT of 457 South Main street were hosts to the staff of the Marion county health department and several invited guests Wednesday evening at their home. The evening was spent socially and with games. Lunch was served from a table decorated with an arrangement of holly and colorful Christmas balls and lighted with red tapers in silver holders. Assisting at the table were Miss Esther Mautz and Mrs. Anne Sedelmaier. Guests aside from the staff were Miss Betty Jordan of Columbus, Misses Martha and Helen Loyer, Mrs Fred Maxwell and Gene Foley. Dr. Sifritt is Marion county health commissioner.

PROGRESS on plans for the annual holiday benefit dance to be held Tuesday evening, Dec. 28, at the Hy-Way Rollarena was reported at a meeting of the Woman's Board of the Marion City Hospital Wednesday at Greenwood Inn. Hostesses were Mrs. Charles E. Elliott, Mrs. Henry B Hane and Mrs. T. E. Sutherland.

Employes of the traffic department of the Ohio Associated Telephone Co. held their annual Christmas party and gift exchange Tuesday evening at Greenwood Inn. Contests and musical recordings provided entertainment throughout the evening, and Miss Joanne McCurdy and Miss Josephine Judy gave several dance numbers. Miss Eleanor Daniels and Miss Wanda Mossbarger served as hostesses.

Present with the hostesses were Mrs. Mary Severn, Mrs Dolly Wetzel, Miss Josephine Coffey, Miss Agnes Sharrock, Miss Betty Morse, Mrs. Blanche Bush, Mrs Clara Kannel, Miss Irenes Norris, Miss Dorothy Martin, Miss Delores Ambrose, Miss Ruth Habluetzel, Miss Deloris Jackson, Mrs. Patricia Randolph, Miss Geraldine Clutter, Miss Jo Ann McCurdy, Miss Josephine Judy, Miss Mary Kennell, Mrs. Frances Lytle, Miss Helen Benedict, Miss Patti Drake, Miss Mary Triplett, Mrs. Donna Taylor, Mrs. Mary Cosgrove, Mrs. Virginia Cusick, Mrs. Marie Varner, Mrs. Margerite Rech, Mrs. Minnie Burroughs, Miss Ellen Tanner, Mrs. Sarah Howard, Miss Marleo Lust, Miss Mary Hairland, Miss Donna Butler, Mrs. Jean Ballenger, Mrs. Rita Weisenberger, Mrs. Hazel Augenstein, Mrs. Edith O'Connell, Mrs. Dorothy Fetter and Miss Margaret Irvin.

Plans were completed for a patroness and guest party Monday afternoon at the Federation Home, at a meeting of the Delphian club, held recently at the home. Mrs. Lewis Uhl, chairman, and members of her committee will be in charge of the party. Mrs. J. J. Stafford gave a paper on "Ohio" and roll call responses were in keeping with Christmas. Mrs. Princess Martin gave the thought for the day. Mrs. Uhl, Mrs C. V. Hudson and Mrs J. C. Chaney were named a nominating committee for the annual election of officers.

Carl Williams of Marion will leave Tuesday for Miami, Fla., on a business trip and to visit relatives.

MORRAL, ASBURY SERVICE

Christmas Sunday will be observed tomorrow by the Morral and Asbury Methodist congregations with worship services at 11 a. m. at Morral, and 7:30 p. m. at Asbury church, Rev. J. William Myers, pastor, announced. His subject will be "The Christmas Message," and in addition he will give five-minute talks at Sunday school at the two churches, Asbury at 9 a. m., and Morral at 10.

Weddings

Miss Mary Louise Radel, daughter of Mr and Mrs Elmer Radel of near Columbus, became the bride of William M Murphy son of Mr. and Mrs R. P Murphy of Morral, on Sunday, Dec 12. The ceremony was read at 1 o'clock in the afternoon in the St Mary rectory by Father Hugh Murphy The bride has been making her home in Marion

Attending the couple were Mrs Willis Clutter, sister of the bride, and Edward Murphy, brother of the bridegroom

The bride chose for her wedding a winter rose dress with which she combined black accessories. Her corsage was an orchid Mrs Clutter was attired in a gray dress with black accessories and a gardenia corsage

Guests at the wedding included Mr and Mrs Radel and Ruth and Gene Radel, the bride's family, Mr and Mrs Murphy, the bridegroom's parents, and Miss Nancy Maniact of Marion

Following the wedding, a reception was held at the home of Mrs E J Hollandshead on Wildwood court, with whom the bride had been making her home About 75 guests were received during the afternoon.

Later the couple left on a wedding trip to St. Louis, Mo., and upon their return, they will be at home in Morral where Mr Murphy is associated with the General Castings Co Mrs. Murphy is a bookkeeper at the Marion County Bank.

ROSE BOWL QUEEN. Beautiful Virginia Bower, 18-year-old junior at Pasadena, Cal., college, is this year's Rose Bowl queen Daughter of an Arcadia, Cal., postman, she is blonde, blue-eyed.

Services To Honor Two In Youth for Christ Work

A special service at Emmanuel Baptist church Tuesday night will be a "sendoff for Rev and Mrs Kenneth Cumings, Youth for Christ workers known in Marion, who will leave for overseas soon They are going out under auspices of the Youth for Christ Great Lakes region to work in Great Britain for three months. Their headquarters was formerly at Detroit, Mich. Together with one of England's outstanding youth leaders and speakers, they will do work in the fields of music and art. At the service at Emmanuel church, they will tell of "the need for the Gospel in Europe" and of the plan and purpose which lies ahead of them. Mrs. Cumings, the artist, will feature the Nativity using the unusual art trick of a "black light." The public is cordially invited to be present, Dr. C. E. Hershey, pastor, announced.

Four Traffic Arrests Reported by Patrol

Four traffic arrests, three of them for speeding, were reported today by the highway patrol.

Arthur Houk of Bucyrus was arrested for speeding on route 520 in Crawford county at 5:20 p. m. yesterday He was fined $5 and costs by Bucyrus mayor's court.

Elbert Smith of 302 East George street who was arrested for failing to obey a stop sign on route 138 at noon yesterday was fined $5 and costs in municipal court this morning.

At 5 p m yesterday Robert Knisley of Bucyrus was arrested on route 30-N for speeding. He was fined $5 and costs by Bucyrus mayor's court.

Woodrow Wilson of Monroeville, Ind., was fined $15 and costs in Upper Sandusky mayor's court for speeding on route 30-N at 4 p. m. yesterday.

Morral Community Club To Hear Program

Annual Christmas program sponsored by the Morral Community club will be held Tuesday at the school auditorium, with a program by the pupils. An operetta, "The Red Candles," will be presented by grade school children, and the high school mixed chorus will sing carols. Mrs. Jeanne Harger is in charge. The program will be free to the public, it was announced.

OHIO FARMERS MEET BRANNAN

Report Food Price Gap Between Producer, Consumer Too Wide.

WASHINGTON, Dec 18—(AP)—There's too big a gap between the price paid to farmers for food and the price paid by consumers a delegation of Ohio farmers told Secretary of Agriculture Brannan yesterday.

Robert S Peelle of Sabina, O., president of the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation, headed a group of 150 farmers and farm wives who met with Brannan.

The group stopped in Washington on its way home from the convention of the National Farm Bureau in Atlantic City.

Secretary Brannan did not discuss the delegation's suggestion that his department investigate the big gap in prices. However he said he had a unanimity of viewpoints with a policy statement submitted by the Ohioans.

"I can find nothing in it (the statement) with which I disagree," he said

Peelle said in the statement:

"While farmers are blamed for high cost of food, they receive a comparatively small percentage of the consumer's dollar.

"We hope sufficient funds from the marketing and research act will be used to study the cost of getting agricultural products from producer to consumer."

Endorsement also was given in Peelle's statement to "flexible price supports and the administration of the program in accordance with the principles laid down in the Hope-Aiken bill."

The statement added production restrictions through acreage allotments and marketing quotas should be put in effect "only as a last resort in the case of either specialized crops or situations."

Other suggestions made by Peelle:

▶The department should make a study of distribution of farm products and procurement of farm production supplies.

▶An effort should be made to "more closely corelate the activities of various agricultural services under the department."

▶Farmer cooperatives should be strengthened and encouraged. He asked Brannan, especially, to support laws which would have cooperative banks "farmer-owned and farmer-controlled as soon as possible."

Secretary Brannan praised the Ohioans for their interest in the department's work.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY

ADM. WILLIAM HARRISON STANDLEY, born Dec. 18, 1872, on a ranch at Ukian, Calif., son of a sheriff. He is said to have taken Annapolis examination, as an excuse for taking a day off. Passing, he was graduated in 1895, served in the Philippines in 1898, advanced through every naval command and retired an admiral in 1937. Called back in 1939 he saw the peril of war and when it came he was made Ambassador to Russia.

12 DIE IN KOREAN CLASH

SEOUL, Dec. 18—(AP)—Twelve Koreans were killed during an unsuccessful assassination attempt against Governor Le Nam Kyu of south Cholla province yesterday, the home ministry announced today. The governor's party was attacked by 200 guerrillas. The ministry reported that the governor's secretary, nine police guards and two guerrillas were slain. The guerrillas fled after a clash with others in the governor's guard.

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TWO THREATS FACING RUHR

Possible Strike, Food Crisis Loom While Industry Booms.

By ROBERT HAGGER
United Press Correspondent

DUESSELDORF, Dec 18—The smoke of steel mills and factories hangs thick over the Ruhr today.

But two major threats to continued recovery of this valley which is traditionally western Europe's center of heavy industry are plainly visible

▶The more than 1,000,000 workers here are fed up with high prices and low wages and are talking of a general strike

▶Farmers hoarding food for the thriving black market may cause a new and serious food crisis in the spring

Production records are being made almost daily, and then broken again in the next day or the next week Coal is coming out of the mines at the rate of 320,000 tons a day—seven times the rate at the end of the war in 1945, and 80 per cent of top prewar production

Attractive Bonuses

About 470,000 miners, the pampered darlings of the occupation era, have done this with the incentive of a series of food, liquor and cigaret bonuses.

Steel workers, the other major factor in Ruhr recovery, have piled up an even more impressive record, although they have had no such incentive system.

American and British authorities gave the 300,000 Ruhr steelworkers a target of 6,000,000 tons of crude steel production for the year beginning July 1, 1948 The goal for the first three months was 1,200,000 tons It was topped as 1,538,000 tons were produced

The quota for the present quarter is 1,400,000 tons. Up to Dec 1, 90 per cent of that had been produced, and there was a month to go.

Virtually Beyond Reach

The men who make these records live in an area where food is both plentiful and good, where the best textiles are available, where chrome-plated stores display luxury goods under fluourescent lights

But they can buy little or none of these goods, because the prices are prohibitive.

COSTA RICA TROOP PLANE. A government plane of Costa Rica carries troops and arms to LaCruz which was captured by forces which the government says were invaders from Nicaragua Boxes containing arms can be seen on the floor of the plane as one of the occupants scans the sky with field glasses.

ADVOCATES CHANGE IN UTILITY FORMULA

COLUMBUS, Dec 18—(AP)—Ohio should make legislative changes in its formula for determining utility rates, a witness testified yesterday at a hearing on proposed telephone rate increases.

Change in the formula was advocated by Edward J Kenealy, Cleveland city rate engineer, on cross-examination by Ashley Van Duzer, general counsel for Ohio Bell Telephone Co

The state utilities commission has been hearing objections of Cleveland and 14 other cities to Ohio Bell's request for a nine per cent statewide telephone rate increase The increase would boost phone bills $8,500,000 yearly

State law requires commissioners to use a firm's reproduction cost new, less depreciation, in fixing equitable rates it can charge.

Net investment, Kenealy said, would be a better base for setting rates, but officials of various cities felt they "couldn't get it" He added they would like to compromise on a gross investment formula.

It was explained gross investment is the amount of money invested in the plant. Net investment is gross, less depreciation.

The Cleveland engineer estimated the boost asked by Ohio Bell would provide about 8 3 per cent return on its capital investment. Ohio Bell's president Randolph Eide testified earlier the increase asked would make the rate of return 5.52 per cent. He said the present rate was 3.83 per cent.

4-MONTH SESSION PREDICTED IN OHIO

CLEVELAND Dec 18—(AP)—Ohio's new general assembly may transact its business in four months, senate and house leaders predict

The comparative short term—many sessions last more than six months—may come about by having joint senate-house committee hearings on controversial bills, the legislative leaders said last night

House speaker-designate John F Cantwell of Youngstown and Margaret A Mahoney of Cleveland, new senate majority leader said they would seek to have the assembly conduct its business in four months They conferred at a dinner given by the Cuyahoga County Mayors association for new legislators from greater Cleveland

It has been customary for the house to conduct independent hearings, although the same measures are under discussion and the same witnesses are called.

The two leaders said Gov-elect Frank J Lausche and Eugene H Hanhart, state Democratic chairman, have promised cooperation in trying to get a four-month term

Children in Program For North Main St. PTA

A program featuring Christmas songs and plays was presented by the children of the school under the direction of the teachers at a meeting of the North Main Street PTA Thursday afternoon. Mrs Harold Van Houten was in charge of the program

Group singing of "Silent Night" led by Rev Melvin Truex opened the meeting and devotions were given by the second grade, taught by Miss Grace Wingett

Mrs Raymond Seas presided for the meeting during which plans were made to purchase a $5 Christmas Seal Bond Mrs Grace Sidenstricker gave a report of a recent PTA City Council meeting, and Mrs Norbid Blair reported on magazine sales

The attendance award was won by the third grade The next meeting will be Jan 25

Cleveland Pastor Called To Upper Sandusky

Special to The Star

UPPER SANDUSKY—The congregation of Trinity Evangelical and Reformed church in Upper Sandusky has issued a call to Rev. Paul E. Rohrbaugh of Cleveland to fill the local pastorate.

The Rev. Rohrbaugh visited here recently and delivered a trial sermon. At a later congregational meeting it was voted to call him here, and an acceptance of the summons has been received by the church consistory. He will arrive in Upper Sandusky about Feb. 1, following release from his present pastorate in Cleveland

Rev. Rohrbaugh will succeed the Rev. H C Kellermeyer who was released by the local congregation following receipt of a call from Lima.

Loyal Daughters Class Meets at Seiter Home

A Christmas party was held by the Loyal Daughters class of Prospect Street Methodist church Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Warren Seiter on the Richland pike. Serving as associate hostess was Miss Frances Haas.

Christmas carols were sung by the group and for the program, the Christmas story was read from the book of Luke by Miss Leona Stineman. Final arrangements were made to fill a Christmas basket for a needy family.

For the program, each member gave a poem or reading, and a playlet, "The Small One," was presented with Miss Leona Stineman, Miss Iretta Stineman, Mrs Seiter, Mrs. Richard Lusch, Miss Ruth Carr, Miss Joanne Henry, Mrs Jack Goodng, Mrs Lucille Copeland, Miss Norma Lusch and Miss Dorothy Rowland taking part.

Secret sisters were revealed in a gift exchange held around a large lighted Christmas tree, and names were drawn for the new year. The teacher, Miss Ruth Schott, was presented a gift from the group In a contest, first prize went to Miss Haas, and consolation to Miss Leona Stineman. Refreshments were served from tables decorated with small trees, candles and miniatures of Santa Claus.

PROSPECTS ENCOURAGING

COLUMBUS, Dec. 18—(AP)—Prospects for passage of urban redevelopment legislation in the general assembly convening Jan. 3 are encouraging, Sen Evert E. Addison (R-Franklin) told the Ohio planning conference here yesterday. The conference ends today.

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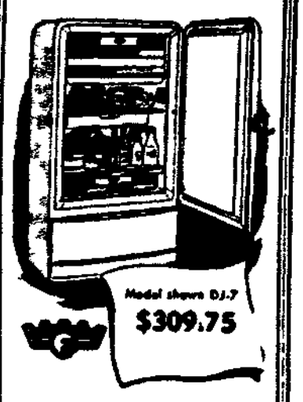

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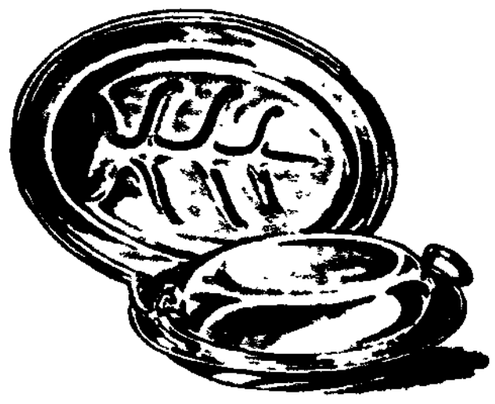

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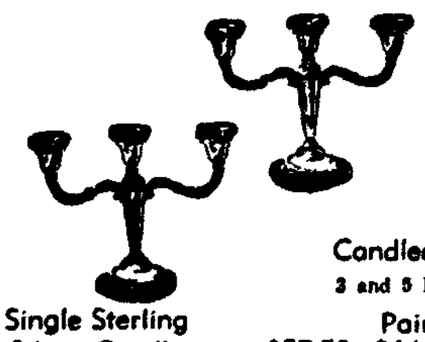

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Anti-Deflation Move

THE U.S. department of commerce and the securities and exchange commission, in what might be described as anti-deflation statements, have pointed to record expectations of industrial expansion up to April 1 next year.

This seems to be an executive move to offset reports of weakness in industry's plans for expansion, some of it caused by misgivings about the Truman administration's intentions toward business. It may be the first overt acknowledgement by government that inflation promises to cure itself in the near future, leaving the possibility of deflation as the development more likely to preoccupy the minds of federal officials. If this were not the case, it is hard to understand why two official agencies would have gone out of their way to explain that no letdown is in sight.

The background for such a move is the fact the Truman administration, though fond of talking against inflation, never has shown any marked disposition to accept the alternative, which is deflation. It seems significant, therefore, that the first time deflationary rumors about industrial expansion gained wide circulation the administration promptly found evidence that nothing of the kind was to be expected.

The fact remains that there are many signs of "adjustment" in the making. It may become apparent before long that the Truman administration, having promised to stop inflation, is alarmed about the possibility that inflation may stop before it can get any part of its legislative program adopted by the 81st congress.

Union Unity

PHILIP MURRAY'S proposal that the CIO, AFL and the railway Brotherhoods get together behind Mr. Truman's program for scuttling the Taft-Hartley act and legislating a New Deal raises two questions:

If the big unions get together as a pressure bloc to impress the 81st congress, what will be the probable result?

If they don't get together, what will be the probable result?

The great potential in labor unionism in the United States is the coordination of all its parts, which would make it the most powerful lobby of all time—vastly more powerful than agriculture, war veterans, or industrial interests, all of which are uncoordinated. Every union leader knows this, but union unity has been impossible so far because most union leaders were afraid of losing influence under any plan of coordination.

But on the other hand, if the unions don't put up a united front against congress they stand a good chance of getting trimmed down to their respective sizes by the 81st congress. Every union leader knows this, too. Congressmen study election returns closely, and they know the strength and the weakness of minorities that try high-pressure tactics on legislators. It hasn't been an excess of jubilance that has made union spokesmen shout that Mr. Truman's election was a mandate to give labor unions carte blanche. It has been the spokesmen's own awareness which needed to be covered up with all the propaganda they could muster.

Don't Bet Against It

THE holiday rush has reached the climax of confusion which causes the faint-hearted to wonder if everything can be done by the deadline of midnight on Dec. 24, or soon afterward. Will all the shopping get done, all the packages get delivered, all the Christmas trees trimmed, all the migratory millions moved to their destinations? Will human stamina be equal to the hustle-bustle, human patience be elastic enough to stand the aggravations growing out of the hustle-bustle? Will the Salvation Army pots be filled, the presents delivered to the orphans, the greeting cards put into the hands of the right people, the last-minute present for Aunt Minnie who lives in Duluth be remembered and sent in time?

Will the traffic jams get unsnarled, the Christmas lights get turned on? Will there be enough wrapping paper, enough egg-nog, enough Christmas candy? Will there be enough remembrance, in the midst of so many distractions, of the real thing which the distractions are intended to celebrate—the beginning of a new way of life that opened the gates to modern civilization when a travel-weary man and woman were given the hospitality of a stable in Bethlehem almost 2,000 years ago?

Every year about this time the same doubt arises, and every year the doubt is resolved by midnight on Dec. 24—or within a few hours thereafter. Everything gets done, or at least everything that matters. Christmas hasn't ended up in hopeless confusion yet, so don't bet against human determination and ingenuity at this late date.

Did You Know

In the latter half of the 17th Century and most of the 18th when English taxes on tea were high, it is estimated that at least half of the tea used by the English was smuggled into the country.

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Turkish tile makers were once under the special patronage of the sultans and were required to complete all tile orders for state buildings before undertaking other commissions.

A Vital Controversy

By Mark Sullivan

Truman vs. Spy Inquiry Committee

WASHINGTON

AT any time, a controversy between two branches of the government has fundamental importance. The present one is between the executive branch, specifically the department of justice, and President Truman personally, and on the other side the legislative branch, specifically the house committee investigating un-American activities. This controversy not only has basic importance in a permanent sense. It goes to the heart of the "spy ring" case, now under the separate jurisdictions of the justice department and the congressional committee and involved in separate proceedings of the two authorities.

The justice department wrote to the committee, and simultaneously made public, a request that the committee "refrain from interviewing and questioning witnesses who had in the past, or who might in the future, be called to testify before a federal grand jury . . ."

Had the justice department refrained from including "might in the future," it would have had a reasonable case. Questioning witnesses currently before a grand jury is under most ordinary conditions objectionable, especially in circumstances likely to result in publicity. But by including "future," and by other attendant circumstances, the justice department laid itself open to the reply the congressional committee quickly made:

"Taken for what it clearly says, when you request that we refrain from questioning witnesses 'who might in the future be called to testify before a federal grand jury,' this means that you propose to stop entirely the activities and functions of the house committee on un-American activities . . ."

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LEGALISTICALLY, the justice department and the congressional committee have different functions. That of the justice department is bringing to trial specific individuals against whom have been made prima facie accusations of specific offenses having the legal status of crimes. The function of the congressional committee is to uncover "un-American activities," some of which, however needing to be exposed in the public interest, do not have the legal status of crimes. The two functions and jurisdictions need not necessarily conflict.

The controversy between the house committee and the justice department, so far as it is expressed in their exchange of statements, could arise from a mere inadvertence of phraseology on the part of the justice department. But as between the committee and Mr. Truman, the controversy is stark. No inadvertence of phraseology on Mr. Truman's part. He has denounced the committee in plain words, even raucous ones. As the ultimate of disapproval of it he has publicly implied the wish that it was dead, and expectation that it will be after the new congress meets in January.

Mr. Truman's denunciation of the committee might be part of his broad denunciation of the present congress, called derisively during the campaign "the Republican Eightieth congress." But if so Mr. Truman has fallen into a real inadvertence. The house committee on un-American activities is not the creation of this one Republican congress. It was originated more than 10 years ago by a Democratic congress and has been renewed during every congress since, all Democratic except the present one.

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WHEN MR. TRUMAN implies that he hoped and expects the new congress will kill the un-American activities committee, he may be thinking primarily of the body in terms of party, thinking that the Democratic majority will kill this committee in a partisan spirit, including assent to an attitude of the Democratic President. But the new congress may think of itself not in party terms but as congress, as the legislative branch of government. If so, they would be likely to attach importance to the legislative prerogative, and unlikely to kill the un-American activities committee as the legislative body's own creation.

There is light in some figures about the most recent action of the present congress, which Bert Andrews of the New York "Herald Tribune" has drawn from the Congressional Record. When the house in March this year voted upon giving the committee $200,000 to continue its work, the number in favor was 337, to 37 opposed, not voting 57. Of those who voted for the appropriation, 243 were reelected last November, and this is more than a majority of the house as a whole. And of the 243 re-elected, 107 are Democrats, 136 Republicans. These figures do not look like extinction of the un-American activites committee by the new congress.

The Eyes Have It

By George E. Sokolsky

THESE pictures, diplomas, etc., have been lying about since last June waiting to be framed. The good lady dodged the issue. I suspected a prejudice against diplomas, a discrimination against those of us who were being highly honored.

So, last week, in the excitement of the Christmas spirit, I seized the various items, deciding that I would bypass the old girl and do them myself. But where? Having a luncheon engagement nearby, I decided to risk Bloomingdale's Department store. I figured that a department store must have everything.

I plowed through women. It seemed that all the women in the world were assembled in this one store. Fat ones and skinny ones; cheerful ones and grouchy ones; in mink coats, Persian lamb coats and no coats at all. In front of me, to the right of me, to the left of me, they stood stock still. Women somehow know how to get around women—but a little man is lost in this sea of femininity.

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FINALLY, I reached the haven of the fifth floor where the customers were fewer and the lights dimmer. It is where they sell furniture and create a superior atmosphere. And there I found a counter where they sell frames, and a very nice young lady who knew what I wanted before I told her and got me away quickly and cheerfully. I had put one over on the boss.

So I came home and announced my triumph.

"What color did you get?" I was asked.

"Black," I replied.

"What shade of black?"

"What do you mean, what shade of black?" I demanded. "Black is black."

She answered. "Black is of many shades. There is a lacquered black which shines. And there's a dull finish. Some look bright and some have a kind of satiny softness. hich did you get?"

Silence.

"What size frame did you buy—½ inch, ⅜ inch, 1 inch, 2 inch? what?

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BY THAT TIME, I could only hang my head in shame. I ordered some frames. My savior at Bloomingdale's said they were suitable. She is an expert. She sells frames every day and all day long. Who am I to quarrel with authority?

By that time, the picture frame absorbed me. It was more important than the Chambers-Hiss trial, Berlin, the Ruhr, the loss of good manners in the world. I was certain that I had bound the diplomas in funeral black a foot wide.

So I went to find the saleslady. There were even more women than the day before. They were all talking colors. They were all eyes. They were at every counter and in every aisle. They knew what they wanted and stood like anti-tank barriers against a male.

Everybody in the world was buying picture frames. There was a swell lady in a Persian lamb coat who wanted a frame for a picture that looked to me like the finger-pictures that little girls do when they slobber ink all over their clothes. She said it was very valuable. It's all in the eye, I suppose. I waited and waited for these gals to get over comparing this with that. One wanted "shallow gold."

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I BUTTED IN with the suggestion that "shallow gold" must be one of those shades my wife talks about when she says that that isn't yellow, it's canary. To me, yellow is yellow and black is black and cerise is red. But not to the old girl. I knew my colors, all ten of them, but she has them by the thousands or millions or even trillions. There are off-shades and patinas and finishes.

So I waited for the argument on "shallow gold" to end and by that time I knew all about women and why they have to dye their [illegible] and it came my turn and I told my tale of woe and showed my sample—and would you believe it? The young lady had sold me exactly what I should have ordered if I knew as much as the old girl knew about the shade of black and the width of the frame and the softness of the finish.

Luck? Not on your life. It was masculine efficiency.

Seek U.S. Scientists

By The Associated Press

LONDON—American scientists are to be recruited by Britain's Colonial Geological Survey and the Colonial Geodetic and Topographical Survey to fill gaps in personnel created during the war Office.

The project, under which the years, according to the Colonial scientists would be concentrated in East Africa, where large railway developments are proposed, the Colonial Office says, is under consideration in Washington. The Colonial office has asked ECA whether the American scientists and technicians can fill the posts "while recruitment catches up."

It has been suggested that their basic salaries be met by European recovery program funds, while their allowances be paid in sterling.

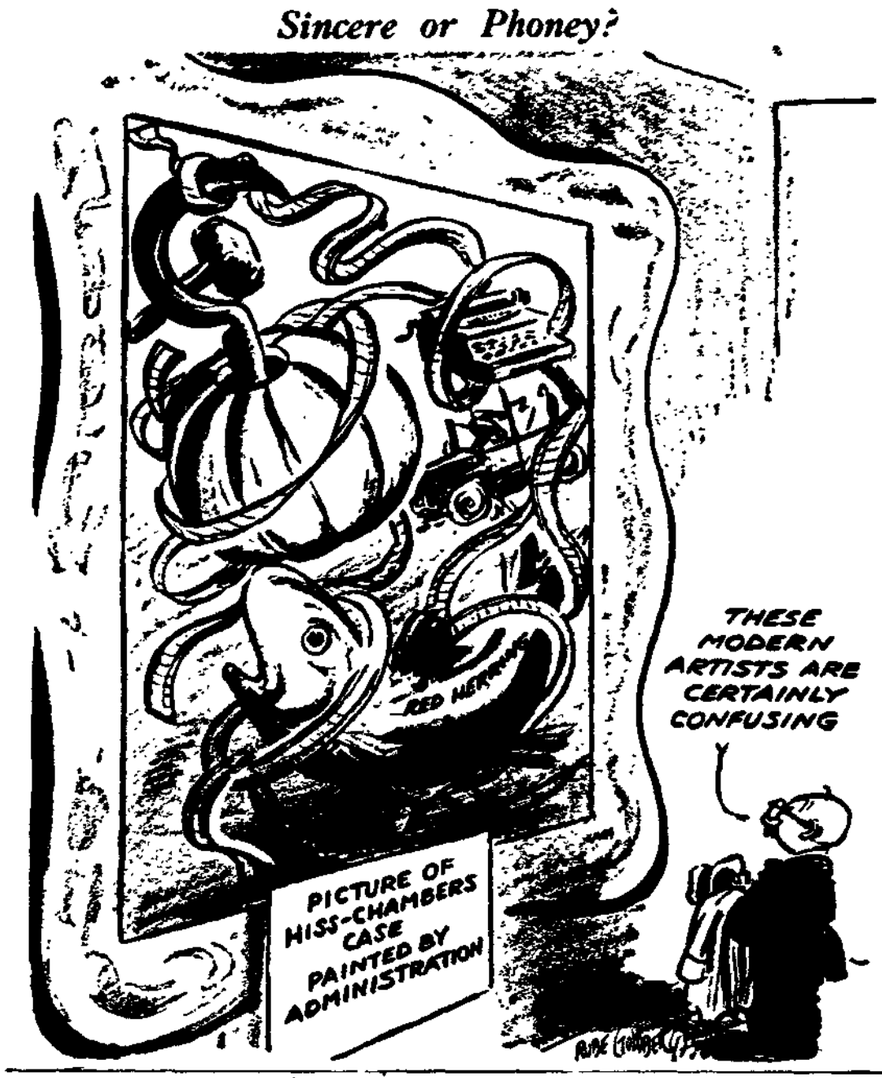
Long Tile Strip

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—New York's new $80,000,000 Brooklyn-Battery tunnel is getting the longest tile lining ever installed in the United States.

Seventeen teams of tile setters are already working on the ceilings of two tubes. Their jobs alone will require about six months, according to engineers of the Tri-Borough Bridge and Tunnel Authority, under whose direction the tunnel is being built. Another six months will be needed to give the tunnel walls their tile finish.

Sincere or Phoney?



From News of Other Years

TEN YEARS AGO

It was Sunday, Dec. 18, 1938.

An audience estimated at 500 heard the Harding High school music department's Christmas gift of music at Central Junior High school. Following three appropriate numbers by the orchestra, directed by Homer E. Huffman, the choir of nearly 200 voices sang Clokey's Christmas cantata, "The Child Jesus," directed by L. G. Jones, public school music supervisor.

John D. Lewis, 93, who with his wife, Mrs. Harriet Bell Lewis, celebrated their 73rd wedding anniversary on Oct. 14, died at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Whiteman of Uncapher avenue.

The wedding of Miss Juanita Wade and Edward A. Melvin took place in Salem Evangelical and Reformed church with the pastor, Rev. H. C. Ahrens, officiating.

Miss Elizabeth Hinklin of East Church street was visiting Judge and Mrs. John E. Lyne of McConnellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kepler of Prospect entertained with a dinner in celebration of the birthday anniversary of Mr. Kepler.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Babcock of Willow street entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner honoring a group of friends whose tenth wedding anniversaries were in December. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Gley Wymer, Mr. and Mrs. William Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Porter of Marion and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peters of Meeker.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

It was Tuesday, Dec. 18, 1928.

The Kellogg multi-lateral anti-war treaty was approved by the senate foreign relations committee but under such secretive conditions as to create a mystery. The lone vote of opposition was by Senator James A. Reed, Democrat of Missouri, leader of the old "irreconcilable" group.

John C. Schroeter, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Schroeter of East Center street, had started on the second stage of his year's course at the Brooks Flying field at San Antonio, Texas. The work was a part of his training in aeronautical engineering at the Boston Institute of Technology. He was to return to Boston after his training.

Carl J. Watrous was elected chairman of the Marion County Red Cross chapter in the annual meeting held at the City library.

The editorial staff of the Marion Star entertained with a dinner at the YMCA dining room for the pleasure of Miss Frances Jennings, staff writer, who was to be married the following Saturday to Warren W. Ballantine.

The management of the Palace theater was advertising for a mule to be used in connection with a prologue to be staged with the showing of "The King of Kings," a feature picture, after a one-day search of the city for an animal to fill the bill.

Big Penicillin Dose

NEW YORK — A 19-year-old girl here may hold the record for the greatest amount of penicillin received in a concentrated period of treatment. She was given 450,000,000 units of the drug during 47 days.

The girl was suffering from subacute bacterial endocarditis, a disease in which a damaged heart valve continually throws infectious bacteria into the bloodstream. The gigantic doses of penicillin cleared up the blood condition, and it hasn't returned.

Doctors of Beth-El Hospital, Brooklyn, where she was treated, said they believed the total dosage of penicillin was the largest of one of the largest ever given to one person in a short period of time.

"Inasmuch as Ye—"

By Frank Tripp

IN A neighborhood where I once lived there was a very mean man—we boys thought. There seemed to be nothing that did not annoy him. So, boylike, we outdid ourselves to make his life miserable.

Then I grew up, and came to know him in a different light; came to pity him. He was aging by then, had mellowed with the years.

I met him in the rush of Christmas shoppers in a five and dime, and could hardly believe my eyes. His arms were full of packages, his face was bright with joy. I vowed to learn his story.

He had been orphaned by the Civil War, I found out. His father fell in battle; his mother died when he was born. He spent his childhood in an orphanage and grew up soured on the world; lived almost a hermit, all alone. His only companion was a homely mongrel dog, which seemed as mean as he.

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ONE CHRISTMAS TIME, as goes the story that I learned, his dog was lost and he was sore distressed. On Christmas Eve he got his dog back—in a very strange way.

He heard a snowball crash against his door—and then another. With stick in hand he hurried forth to chase the rascals who had thrown them.

From across the street a boy called out, "Hey, Old Grouch, we brought your dog back."

"You get out of here, you young ruffians. I'll have the law on you for stoning my property," he said.

"Aw calm down, Old Grouch," came back the boy's voice. "Go take care of your dog. We left him on the back porch. He's hurt."

Sure enough, there was his dog, and badly hurt; run over by a wagon. The boys, who dared not even ring his bell, had snowballed his house to give alarm.

Tenderly swaddled in a gunny sack was his injured friend. A boy's handkerchief was crudely bound about a bleeding foot.

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IT WAS the first kind thing that boys had ever done for him. Old Grouch went back to thank them. They were gone.

From that day forth, the neighbors said, Old Grouch began to live. When I last saw him he was an old man. Sons of the boys he once chased, then mowed his grass, cleaned his walks and sat by his fire to hear his yarns. He died beloved of boys; at peace with all mankind.

I never would have really known this lonely man and the beautiful ending of his harassed life if it had not been for Christmas. He was buying gifts for neglected children the day I came upon him.

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NEXT TO ITS holy significance, Christmas is the children's day. Through them we oldsters wander back in memory to our mother's knee, to a sparkling tree and a stocking hung with care. Through them the real cheer of Christmas comes to most of us.

A tear may gather as we dream of a happy childhood home. Perhaps 'twas meager, where costly gorgeous things were scarce—but love was there.

What would we not give today to hear again dad's and mother's cheery "Merry Christmas" in the early morn, then hustle down the chilly stairs and squat beside the old oak stove to count our humble Christmas joys.

What would we not give to see that string of popcorn on a thread that mother festooned on the tree; that candy cane that hung up high; that drum or doll that caught our eye.

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THESE THINGS Old Grouch had never known. Yet, ere he died, the boys he hated, the dog he loved, at Yuletide climaxed in a noble deed—on the eve of Good Will and Peace on Earth.

And changed a sour old man into God's and children's friend. One little act of kindness at Christmas time did that.

Is there, somewhere near you, a lonely soul you can make happy this Christmas?

Others than children in our midst yearn to be remembered. They, too, are among "the least of these."

Daily Bible Thought

God will not delay his coming; he is always near, wait just till your spirit is wholly free from other thoughts and desires; concentrate wholly on your meeting with the infinite.—Ps. 62:5: "My soul wait thou in silence for God only; for my expectation is from him."

CROSSTOWN By Roland Coe

"I'm going to let you pick out your own Christmas present this year. Which tie do you like?"

The Once Over

By H. I. PHILLIPS

The President and His 40-Pound Christmas Bird

Oh, turkey as I look at you
I know your fate I shall not rue
I understand the laws of nature
That feeling, "Will I be the feature"

II

As I survey you as I sit
The nervous manner that you sit at
Like you I had to be fearful, too,
That I could get in the news

III

But though with fear you have to cope
Remember where there's life there's hope,
They had me scared they'd eat me stewed—
But somehow they were all outclassed!

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They had me in the roasting pot
But it turned out that I was not
They had me on the dinner list
But still they didn't get their wish

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They had me served with mashed potatoes
And turnips, squash and stewed tomatoes,
They had me just a carcass bare—
But here I am, so don't despair!

Texas Lady in a Big Town

A farm woman from deep in the heart of Texas, Mrs. Delon Kirk visited New York the other day. She saw a metropolis for the first time and looking down on it from a hotel window after a tough day in traffic she asked this question:

"What do big city people do when they get lonely? When I feel lonesome back on the 1,600 acre farm in Spearman, Texas, I hop into a pickup truck and take some cake down to the cattle. When they smell you, lick you up and paw all around you I reckon you can't be lonesome any more."

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Well, lady, it's like this. Most big city people spend their lives being lonesome and doing things about it that only make them more lonesome. And a big city has more lonesome folks than any other place on earth. You can see the most lonesome faces on this earth in subway jams, crowded skyscraper lobbies and nighteries. It would be a tough trick to find sadder, colder faces than you can see in glamorous nights in the New York theater, in fact. The great percentage of New Yorkers are lonely.

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What do they do about it? Mostly they go out to beat other lonely people across the street in traffic jams; to fight loneliness by an unending contact with the lonely. They go to movies which makes them lonesome for somebody, someplace or something. Some go to cocktail parties, a veritable Paradise of people ever on the hunt for something that will kill loneliness.

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Don't believe what you hear. Mayor O'Dwyer is lonesome for Bohola, Ireland. Lucius Beebe, famed as a typical New Yorker, looks bored *stiff much of the time and while he would be* the first to deny it, would like to carry some cake to the cattle. The Shuberts are lonely. They generally look about as sad as any two men on Manhattan. The traffic cop at the busiest spots in the big city are lonelier. Mrs. Kirk, than you have ever been down there in Texas. Sherman Billingsley's face, done in marble, could be called, "Study of a Lonesome Guy." Bernard Baruch, Herbert Bayard Swope and even Elsa Maxwell are mighty lonesome at times. What they would give to carry some cookies across the fields and have the cattle nuzzle 'em, paw all around and to hell with the photographic arrangements, etc.!

The 40-pound bronze Tom turkey was sent to President Truman as the gift of the National Turkey Federation and the Poultry and Egg National Board. We assume there will be something from the Amalgamated Mince & Pumpkin Pie League, the American League for the Perpetuation of the Cranberry, the Allied Associations of Celery & Olive Growers and the North American Federation of Bicarbonate of Soda Makers.

NOTES ON A MADISON SQUARE GARDEN RALLY

Russia is peaceful and quite church bellish,
Take it from William Howard Mellish;
Russia's a friend and never a foe—
Dean Hewlett Johnson will tell you so;
The U.S. alone is bent on fighting—
Henry Wallace will put it in writing!

"Thumbs Up" a great race horse, brought $80,000 at auction recently. The bidding was, of course, hitchhiked up rapidly.

Torn Up

By Truman Twill

When a house is "torn up"—as it always is when repairs and improvements are being made—nothing further needs to be said by way of explanation. It's always the same.

There is paint on the handle of the fork being used to spear up an unsatisfactory meal served on the corner of a table littered with hammers, saws, bric-a-brac, nails and plaster dust.

There is sawdust on the rug in the living room, which has ceased to be livable because it also contains brooms, mops, three cans of paint stacked up in one corner and an assortment of chairs which do not belong there.

There is a coil of electrician's wire in the bedroom, also a tool chest, a supply of assorted lumber, a keg of nails and a collection of mismated lamps stored there because they were in the way somewhere else.

Doorknobs contain tell-tale traces of paint, putty, tar, grease, resin, paste, plaster and shreds of friction tape. The windows are uncurtained and streaked with the same traces found on the doorknobs.

Half of the plumbing fixtures on the premises are immobilized, throwing a heavy burden on the other half, principally the remaining washbowl, which looks as if a flock of migrant ducks had enjoyed a night's rest in it.

Splinters of wood and spots of paint are not uncommon under foot, but these are scarcely noticeable because the floors are littered with scraps of insulating paper, bits of plasterboard and pieces of broken glass.

The cellar landing is jam-packed with tools and supplies, cached there in the naive illusion that they won't take up any room and can easily be leaped over by any healthy mountain goat on the way to and from the cellar.

The hall is an obstacle course lined with footstools, rolls of carpeting, tables, curtain fixtures, odds and ends of lath, misplaced vacuum cleaners, floor mops and pictures with their faces turned to the wall.

The house itself is filled with people in the final stages of desperation—people tired of not knowing where anything is, or if they know where something is, being unable to get it because it is underneath or behind something else. As the house improves—which it does so slowly for any improvement to be perceptible—the inmates go from bad to worse until they are ready to be hauled away to the booby-hatch to have the plaster combed out of their hair while they regain enough sanity to appreciate what has been going on back home at the expense of their mental and physical well-being.

But as was said at the beginning, details are unnecessary.

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PROPOSES TOLL ROADS FOR OHIO

Legislator Wants Privately-Owned Network Linked to Pennsylvania Turnpike.

COLUMBUS Dec 18—(AP)—A new storm over Ohio toll roads is ready to break a fortnight before the legislature meets.

Sen. Ralph A. Winter (R-Medina) said today he will introduce an Ohio turnpike bill early in the general assembly session starting Jan 3

His plan to authorize an Ohio network of privately-built roads, like the famed Pennsylvania turnpike passed the senate in 1946 but was mired in the house of representatives

Petroleum and trucking interests which led the fight against Winter are getting their road-blocks ready They will be joined actively by farm groups

Winter wants Ohio to have modern four-lane roads linked to the Pennsylvania turnpike

That superhighway stretching 160 miles between Pittsburgh and Harrisburg is being lengthened The Pennsylvania turnpike commission says it will run 320 miles from Philadelphia to the Ohio border before the end of 1950

The only way Ohio can get superhighways soon enough Winter said is through privately-financed toll roads The state highway doesn't have enough money to build them and also properly operate its highway system

State highway department reports bear him out Director Earl Reeb said 20 per cent probably should be added to earlier estimates of a minimum of $1,292,519,000 to properly condition Ohio's badly battered highways

The department will have about $100,000,000 this year, including federal grants, for highway purposes And Reeb says his department is spending most of its money for high-cost maintenance instead of new construction.

What the state should have first, he says is a complete study of its present-day road requirements. To that end, he has just contracted with the Automotive Safety Foundation, Washington, for such a survey

LEGGO MY NECK! This goose probably uses stronger language as the girl crams food down his gullet with a funnel mill This is known as "gorging" the goose an old Gaulic method of fattening the birds From the enlarged liver of such geese comes the cocktail party delicacy known as pate de foie gras

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News of Our Neighbors

Carey

Carey Lodge, No 420 F and A M, installed the following officers at a meeting recently worshipful master Dean Powell senior warden, Wallace Dible junior warden, Paul Richardson, senior deacon, Harry Rook junior deacon Leo Beagle secretary Eugene Mulholland, treasurer Gust Summutt, chaplain Charles Hall senior steward, Charles Peters, junior steward Delmar Lortz and tyler, William Humbert Thomas Reber of Upper Sandusky was installing officer and Grover Snyder of Carey was installing marshal.

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The Carey Welfare Board held a meeting Tuesday in the home of Mrs. C G Laird for election of officers Wendell Wentling was elected president, Mrs Carl Heck vice president, and Mrs Fred Mitchell secretary-treasurer Members of the board include Mrs. John Welsh, Mrs Cyril Simons, Mrs. Laird Mrs Myrtle Perkins, Mrs. Ralph Williams and Mrs. George Newhard

Crestline

The annual Christmas dinner and gift exchange of the Tabitha society was held in Calvary Reformed church Wednesday Mrs W L. Margard led in Carol singing and prayer Mrs Wilma Lyman gave a reading, The Christmas Inspiration' Santa presented gifts to the children who were guests and to members.

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Miss Induk of Korea a member of the United Nations assembly, was guest speaker at the dinner meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service Wednesday at First Methodist church, giving an interesting talk of her work in Korea Wesleyan Service guild members were guests at the dinner and were later entertained at a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. J. B. McCarter.

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Crestline relatives have received word of the birth of twin sons born to Mr and Mrs William C Prout of Boston Mass Mrs Prout was the former Miss Naomi Kaler of Crestline

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A Christmas potluck dinner was held at Presbyterian church Wednesday for members of the Gleaner class Mrs John Flora appointed Mrs John Villars Mrs Kenneth Long and Mrs Kenneth McKean as a nominating committee for election of officers in January Mrs Dillon and Mrs Roy Scott will be in charge of the nursery the next four weeks. Mrs. C. E. Iman, class teacher, was presented a gift. Secret sisters were revealed and a gift exchange held.

Richwood

Six tables of euchre were in play at the bi-weekly euchre party Tuesday night in the I.O.O.F rooms High scores were won by Mrs. Evelyn McMahon and B F Grandstaff most lone hand prize went to William Mohn of Pharisburg.

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Mrs Charles Gill assisted by Mrs Nora Herr Mrs Ruth Cox and Miss Anna Jones entertained the Fortnightly Literary club at the former's home Tuesday Roll call responses were "Christmas Customs in Other Lands" Mrs. Marion Fogt gave a Christmas story and Mrs Dean Cochran played a violin solo accompanied by Mrs Aaron Durnell Thery was a gift exchange

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Mrs Hazel Trees presided for the meeting of the WSCS Wednesday in Central Methodist church Mrs Pearl Evans was in charge of the devotionals, following a short business session group singing of carols was held.

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Assistant Scout Masters Jack Weiler and Greeley Shoup met with the Boy Scouts and their chairman Ralph Workman The Scouts have collected toys and are repairing them and will give them to the children in the Union County Children's Home.

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The Well Baby conference was held Wednesday in the Richwood High school Dr Walter Burt of Milford Center the examining physician, was assisted by Mrs Estner Gerlach and Miss Evelyn Brann, county health nurses, and several ladies of the community The next conference will be held Jan 19

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The Girl Scouts met Tuesday at the high school with their leaders, Mrs William Hook, Mrs Jack Van Buskirk and Miss Mary Ann Welsh Plans were made for a Christmas party Dec 28. Thirty girls were present

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The WSCS met Wednesday in First Methodist church The program consisted of an organ-piano duet by Mrs Robert Sanders and Mrs Charles Cheney and a play, "Mothers of the World," by Maude Taylor Sarvis.

Nevada

The Current Events club met with Mrs Lawrence Snavely Monday A book review was given by Mrs Edith Coons, "So Dear To My Heart" by Sterling North At the next meeting Dec 27 Miss Ruth Keunzli will be the hostess and will give the program

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The Willing Workers class of the Mt Zion E U B church met at the home of Mrs Dorsey Beal of near Wyandot Tuesday for a Christmas program There were 32 members present and gifts were brought for the Otterbein home at Lebanon

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The Community Stitchers met with Mrs Mae Cover of near Nevada Thursday for an all-day meeting and potluck dinner Names were drawn for "mystery sisters" for the coming year, names for the present year revealed and gifts exchanged. Plans were made to visit "Ruth Lyons Morning Matinee" on WLW at Cincinnati some time in April.

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The Senior Girl Scouts were in session at the home of Miss Marjorie Bardon Wednesday with Miss Jeanette Healy in charge. All members were present and plans discussed for attending the "Ice Follies" at Cleveland in January. An exchange of gifts was held.

Ashley

Thirty members were present for a special meeting of Clyde C. Keltner Post, American Legion, Tuesday night Dr H W Davis was elected to complete the term of James Jackson as incorporation trustee, Mr Jackson having moved from the community. Lunch was served.

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Mrs S C Powers entertained the Justamere club Thursday with three tables of euchre in play Prizes were awarded Mrs Lloyd Bartlett, Mrs W L. Fleming, Mrs. Richard Cassidy and Mrs Gladys Dildine Officers were retained for 1949—Mrs V E Selanders, president, and Mrs Paul Weiser, secretary.

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Mrs C A Olds was hostess to the Martha class Tuesday with 16 members present and a former member of the class Mrs Sam Coover, who now resides near Kilbourne Mrs Olds read a letter from Miss Ethel Stevens, missionary in Kentucky, thanking the class for a $2 money gift Mrs Frank Dean read "Christmas Bells" and Mrs Ida Jenkins presented an original poem about the class Members responded generously with towels and soap for a gift box which will be sent overseas.

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Ashley Juvenile Grange met Monday night with a gift exchange and contests held

The Westfield Aid society met Wednesday with Mrs Frances Frock of near Cardington with 10 members and a number of guests present It was decided to order more hangers and a cash gift was presented to Mrs H L Borden A gift exchange was held

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Dates for the 1949 Farmers Institute were set for Feb 16 with day sessions on Feb 17 and 18 Officers are Fred Jordan, president, Carl McCurdy, vice president, Kenneth Barber, secretary, Mrs. W. B. Martin, hostess.

PROTEST "LIBEL." Having served 10 years in prison for the murder of H Lawrence Nelson, before another man confessed to the crime Hamp Kendall stands beside Nelson's tombstone in Lenoir N C Kendall has petitioned for removal of the libel from the stone which names him as the slayer. Officials said there appears to be no legal means by which he can remove it

Galion

Two unusual features of the Christmas party of the Progress club Thursday were the roll call responses when members answered with humorous Christmas greetings, and when members informally told of their family traditions in observing Christmas The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Roy C Arter The program was planned by Mrs Charles Geiger and included piano duets, a Christmas story and short sketches on Christmas customs in other lands Gifts were exchanged.

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A seven-foot Christmas tree in the home of Miss Veronica Kelley highlighted Yuletide decorations when she was hostess for a Christmas party of two groups Thursday night Members of Rose Hawthorne Circle, Daughters of Isabella, and the St Therese Literary club were present to play bridge, exchange gifts and to make a contribution to the Toledo Catholic charities.

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James Wolf was elected president of the Galion Skating club at a meeting this week Others chosen to serve are vice president, Paul Johnson secretary Marie Reele treasurer Nancy Nickens The club held a Christmas party Thursday in the Moose hall

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Twenty-five members of the East Side Garden club held a potluck supper at the East School Thursday when they met for their annual Christmas party Mrs Clara Deaver gave a Christmas poem and a Christmas story and slides were shown of various flowers, giving the names origin and history of the blooms Members exchanged gifts and white elephant prizes were won by Mrs Rymal Poast and Mrs Genova Austin

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The Bethany Guild of the First Reformed church elected officers this week The group held a dinner-party at the El Sombrero west of Bucyrus, with covers laid for 23 Results of the election are president, Virginia Resch, vice president, Mrs Kenneth Casey secretary, Mrs Harry McCormick, treasurer, Mrs Robert Johnston

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Officers retained at a meeting of the C I of C held this week in St Joseph's parish hall, are headed by Mrs William Grebe as president The group held a potluck supper and enjoyed a program in addition to the exchange of Christmas gifts The annual gift was sent to Father Kupper's school at Embudo, New Mexico

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With a program by the Junior and Senior High school choruses for the student body at the Senior High school auditorium Friday as a Christmas season feature, Galion schools closed for a two weeks vacation The schools will reopen Jan 3

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Winners were announced and prizes distributed following final games in the bridge and gin rummy tournaments Thursday at the Galion Country club The games also brought to a close all activities of the women until spring Winners in the bridge tournament were Mrs. Bert Wilson, first, and Mrs Carl Adams, second Consolation went to Mrs Frank Hickman The final games Thursday were won by Mrs Ralph Boyd and Mrs Adams In gin rummy, tournament winners were Mrs C J Griebling, Mrs Henry Kruger and Mrs Robert Coleman The games Thursday were won by Mrs Kruger and Mrs Griebling Finals in the ping pong tournament for men and women were to be played Friday night.

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A son was born Wednesday at City hospital to Mr and Mrs Herman Williams of near Mt Gilead

RESPONSE TO CROP DRIVE IS GENEROUS

DAYTON O Dec 18—(AP)—Americans are giving so generously to Christian food trains for 43 nations that they've smashed the collection schedule

But officials of the sponsoring organization Christian Rural Overseas Program (CROP)—weren't complaining today They were too happy about the response and too busy unsnarling the result of America's Yuletide spirit

Many of the state trains have been split into sections because of the outpouring of national generosity Original plans called for state dedications of a CROP train prior to Christmas and another dedication Christmas day at the port of departure

But big donations now make it necessary in many states to ship a comparatively small number of cars from half a dozen points, rather than assembling one large train

National Chairman John D Metzler described the CROP trains as the greatest voluntary effort of its kind ever undertaken

"The bulk of the CROP goods gets into the hands of children, widows the aged and the ill" he said It reaches those who have no money to buy and who receive relief through no other channels It will symbolize the true Christmas spirit in a very tangible way"

CROP is supported by Catholic Rural Life (representing war relief services of the National Catholic Welfare Conference), Lutheran World Relief (representing the various Lutheran synods), and Church World Service (representing 21 Protestant denominations). All major agricultural organizations are cooperating.

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By Carson J. Cook

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Unto You

A Sermonette

By REV. ELLIS G. GUTHRIE
Pastor of First Church of the Brethren

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Luke 2:11—For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour which is Christ the Lord.

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MAN is oftimes bothered with what is called an inferiority complex. This feeling is obstructive to the full development of the personality and hence very destructive. It unfits man to face life the way that God had intended that he should. To some it may be difficult to understand why so many should be a victim of this dread malady. However if we pause to reflect a moment perhaps we will understand better.

The solar system in which we live is a large one. We are unable to travel from the earth to any of the other planets. We can not travel to the moon which is sometimes relatively close. We don't know much about the planets outside our own. But we do know that solar system in which we live is only one of many. For there are other suns with objects encircling them just as the earth encircles our sun. Our sun is one of the smaller ones of millions of suns.

These scientific facts have changed the age old belief that man was the center of the universe. He is not. He is only an insignificant part of a vast creation. No wonder he often feels of little worth. But even of more significance than what we have just said is the accomplishments of the few. Most of us have accomplished little of real worth. We know nobody of real importance and nobody of real importance knows us. No one will remember us after we are dead except a few people who are as unimportant as we are. It truly seems that we don't count for much. However if we were to stop here we would leave the truth unknown.

John the apostle said that "all things were made" by Christ. God through His Son Jesus Christ created this vast universe in which we live. He also created man. He desired to keep man humble and dependent on God. But man sinned. He broke away from God. The result was disastrous. Either man was proud or fearful and felt inferior. Both attitudes lead to death. Both attitudes were foreign to the will and the desire of God. For the proud there was no hope as long as he was proud for no man can save himself. For the humble and fearful there was one way and only one way. They needed to have restored their former confidence that had been destroyed by sin. Man needed a Saviour. There was only one who would do; that one was the Son of God.

One day nearly two thousand years ago He came. Not as a majestic king or a great prince but as a baby of humble birth. He was born in a manger. He was so lowly that the humblest of men might realize that this great gift of God was even for him. The angels announced the coming of this Son of God, this Saviour of the world. But they did not announce it in the Court of Caesar or to King Herod, they announced it to humble fearful shepherds—"unto you is born." By that the angels signified that the Christ child belongs to all. The proud man may have the saving Grace of Christ if he becomes humble. He that stays proud and aloof though he be a success in the eyes of the world can not have the greatest of all gifts. So there is hope for men who feel that they are not worth very much for the story of Christmas says that man is worth much to God. "For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour which is Christ the Lord."

SPIES

(Continued from Page 1)

of State Francis B. Sayre and his secretary, Anna Belle Newcombe, on Monday. He said their testimony will probably be taken behind closed doors because the committee wants to question Mr. Sayre on the security techniques in effect when he was in the state department. "We do not want to make that public," he said.

Mr. Sayre was Hiss' superior in 1937 and 1938—the period when Hiss allegedly stole confidential documents for Chambers.

Rep. Mundt said the committee also wants to hear recommendations from Chambers and Miss Bentley for legislation to guard against future espionage. The un-American activities group will suggest legislative changes to the new Democratic congress.

Attorney General Clark said his department has been considering changes in the espionage law for "many months."

Want Proof of Intentions

He said the present law could be "greatly strengthened" by revising the section requiring strict proof that a person accused of espionage really intended to spy. "These things," he said, "are hard to prove and we feel changes could be made to aid prosecution."

The last installment of the famous "spy papers" included an "aide memoire" which revealed a sharp diplomatic exchange between the United States and Germany in 1937, due to conflicting trade policies.

Another document concerned secret Anglo-American naval talks in 1938.

The state department has refused to clear four of the spy papers for publication. It was understood that former Soviet Foreign Minister Maxim Litvinov and the late British Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain figure prominently in these papers.

CROPS

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a displaced person who has recently arrived in America, and vocal and instrumental music will be given.

Ohio's Food Train is one of twenty which will roll into eastern ports from 23 states in the near future. On Christmas day, the Christian Rural Overseas Program expects to stage a national dedication service with a national radio hook-up.

A carload of wheat was shipped from New Bloomington in August as part of the first Ohio Food Train. The local committee will continue to receive contributions toward future trains.

CODY GETS RELIC

By The United Press

CODY, Wyo—Cody has a new tourist attraction, the birthplace of its namesake. The hand-hewn two-story home of Col. William F. (Buffalo Bill) Cody was moved to Cody from Iowa several years ago by the Burlington railroad and was given recently to the city by the company.

Historic Churches in America—No. 16

Cathedral of St. John the Divine

By FREDERICK POLLEY

THE Cathedral of St. John the Divine, on Morningside Heights, New York City, is gradually taking form. It is far from completed. At this stage, however, it stands as one of the greatest cathedral masterpieces in the English-speaking world. The cornerstone ceremonies were held in 1892.

It was originally designed in Romanesque style by the architectural firm of Heins & LaFarge. Planned to be finished in 40 or 50 years, the cost was estimated at $6,000,000. That sum already has been expended and twice as much will be needed in the decades to come before the building can be completed.

The original plan of architectural style has been outmoded, a new group of architects has been retained and a change of style to the Gothic now dominates the plan. It is being built like the cathedrals of England and France, entirely of stone. No steel framework has been used; even the roof is a work of vaulted stone, supported by clusters of granite columns. Ralph Adams Cram, the noted architect, whose firm, Cram, Goodhue & Ferguson, has directed the work, claims that "there is not a sham in the whole cathedral". It is honest masonry with no make-believe structural features.

The cathedral is Protestant Episcopal. It is in a sense a cathedral for the American people, because it is being built by gifts and free-will offerings of visitors and friends from every part of the country.

This pencil sketch was made during a quiet noon hour, and can give but a meager suggestion of the vastness and grandeur of the nave looking toward the pupilt and choir stalls. I like this quotation: "To pass through the portals into the high-vaulted nave is to leave the present world behind to live once more in the hushed mystery of the middle ages."

Church Directory and Hours of Services

METHODIST

Epworth, E. Center and Vine Sts. Dr. V. E. Bueler. School 9:16. Worship 10:45.

Prospect, Prospect and Church Sts. Rev. Henry Maag. School 9:30. Worship 10:30.

Wesley, Olney Ave. Dr. Edwin A. Brown. School 9:15. Worship 10:30 and 7:30.

Asbury, Lee and Evans Sts. Rev. J. William Myers. School 9. Worship 8.

First Westeyan, Silver St. Rev. Eldon R. Martin. School 9:15. Worship 10:30 and 7:30.

A. M. E.

Quinn's Chapel, 437 Park St. Rev. A. E. Lilea. School 9:30. Worship 11 and 8.

PRESBYTERIAN

First, Church and Prospect Sts. Rev. Howard L. Olewiler. School 9:30. Worship 10:45.

Forest Lawn, E. Center and Barnhart Sts. Rev. David E. Schnable. School 9:15. Worship 10:40 and 7:30.

Lee, Lee and Dennison Sts. School 9. Worship 7.

CATHOLIC

St. Mary's, N. Main St. Very Rev. W. J. Spickerman, V. F. and Rev. Fr. Elmer Boyden and Rev. Fr. Hugh J. Murphy. Masses 6, 7:30, 9, and 11:45 low masses. 10:30 High Mass. 4 p. m. Benediction.

EPISCOPAL

St. Paul's, E. Center St. at High. Rev. Frederick W. Leech. Holy Communion 1. Worship and school 10:45 and Prayer 6.

LUTHERAN

Emanuel, 221 S. Prospect St. Rev. M. E. Hollensen. School 9:15. Worship 10:30.

St. Paul's, Bellefontaine Ave. and Windsor St. Dr. Henry Schaeffer. School 9:30. Worship 10:45.

BAPTIST

Trinity, S. Main St. near Library. Rev. J. B. Holloway. School 9:15. Worship 10:30 and 7:30.

Fite Memorial, Davids and Darius Sts. Rev. R. A. Maugans. School 9:15. Worship 10:30 and 7:30.

Emmanuel, N. Main and Fairview Sts. Dr. Clem E. Hershey. School 9:30. Worship 10:30 and 7:30.

Mt. Zion, 200 Senate St. Rev. J. C. Collins. School 10:30. Worship 11:30.

BRETHREN

First, E. Church St. and Reed Ave. Rev. Ellis Guthrie. Worship 9:30. School 10:30.

EVANGELICAL U. B.

First, 127 S. Prospect St. Rev. D. H. Hochstettler. School 9:30. Worship 10:30 and 7:30.

Calvary, E. Church and High Sts. Rev. R. W. Faulkner. School 9:15. Worship 10:30 and 7:30.

Oakland, Bellefontaine Ave. and Henry St. Rev. H. V. Falor. School 9:30. Worship 10:30 and 7:30.

Greenwood, N. Greenwood and Mark Sts. Rev. R. L. Sutherland. School 9:15. Worship 10:30 and 7:30.

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

Central Christian, 421 Mt. Vernon Ave. Rev. Eldred Johnston. Worship 9:30. Classes 10:40.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First, E. Church St. and Mt. Vernon Ave. School 9:30. Worship 11.

EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED

Salem, 230 E. Church St. School 9. Worship 10:30.

First, 326 S. Prospect St. Rev. E. H. Wierth. School 9:15. Worship 10:45.

CHURCH of CHRIST in CH'S UN.

First, 321 N. State St. Rev. Melvin Truex. School 9:30. Worship 10:45 and 7:45.

Second, 707 Bennett St. Rev. Raymond Bridgford. Worship 9:30 and 7:30. School 10:30.

CHURCH OF GOD

First, 453 N. State St. Rev. F. D. Morgan. School 10. Worship 10:45 and 7:30.

NAZARENE

First, W. Church St. opp. Harding school. Rev. W. E. Zimmerman. School 9:30. Worship 10:30 and 7:30.

OTHER SERVICES

First Pilgrim Holiness, Bennett and Waterloo Sts. Rev. George Poole. School 9:30. Worship 10:45 and 7:30.

Second Pilgrim Holiness, Ballentine and Mark Sts. Rev. Melroy Ward. School 9:30. Worship 10:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

N. Main and Farming Sts. John W. Rockhold, minister. Study 10. Worship 10:30 and 8.

Assembly of God, Herman and Davids Sts. Rev. L. A. Sappington. School 9:45. Worship 11 and 7:30.

Church of God, 581 Bellefontaine Ave. Rev. Lee Roy Hay. School 9:30. Worship 10:30 and 7.

Primitive Wesleyan, 446 North Grand Ave. Rev. John Goon. School 2. Worship 3 and 7:30.

Emmanuel Tabernacle Baptist, Tyler and Van Buren Sts. Elder Leona May. School 9:30. Worship 11 and 8 Thursday.

Maranatha Bible Church, S. State St. at W. Columbia St. Rev. Earl L. Holliday. School 9:30. Worship 10:45 and 7:30.

Christian and Missionary Alliance, YMCA, 139 S. State St. Rev. Russell B. Churchill. School 9:45. Worship 11 and 7:45.

Unity Center, Y. M. C. A., 139 S. State St. Class 2:30 Tuesday. Lecture 7:30 p. m. Tuesday.

Seventh Day Adventist, 324 N. State St. H. G. Gauker. School 9:30 Saturday. Prayer 7:30 p. m. Friday.

Salvation Army, headquarters, 187 N. Prospect St. Adjt. Nialewicz, Capt. Davis, Capt. Denman. School 9:30. Worship 11 and 7:30.

Gospel Tabernacle, 738 N. Main St. Miles Messenger and Oren Craig. School 9:30. Worship 10:30 and 7:45.

Latter Day Saints, I. O. O. F. hall, 133½ N. Main St. School 10:30. Worship 11:30.

Peace Baptist, 872 N. State St. Rev. W. M. Clemmons. School 9:30. Worship 11 and 8.

Silver Street Mission, Rev. Earl Carroll. School 9:30. Worship 11 and 7:45.

Apostolic Faith Mission, rear 209 Sharp St. Elder James O. Craig. School 1. Worship 2:30 and 7:30.

King's Temple Apostolic, 267 Senate St. Elder James L. Robinson. School 10. Worship 11:30 and 7:30.

Memorial Spiritualist, 488 N. State St. Dr. Jacque Savage. Service 7:30.

Glenwood Children Present PTA Program

Children of Glenwood school presented a special Christmas program at a meeting of the school PTA Thursday night.

The program was as follows: first grade, poems by Rita Griffith and Jack Walter, and three songs, "Mary's Lullaby," "Kris Kringle" and "Up on the Housetop," by the group; second grade, songs, "Oh Come, Little Children," "Santa Claus Comes" and "Jolly Old Saint Nicholas," and two piano solos, "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town" and "White Christmas" by Howard Klehm; third grade, songs, "Here Comes Santa Claus," "Silent Night" and "Oh Little Town of Bethlehem," and the Christmas story recited by Darlyne Rizer and Ivan Foos; fourth grade, songs, "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen," "The Other Night" and "As Each Happy Christmas;" fifth grade, songs, "As Lately We Watched," and "We Wish You a Merry Christmas," and a tableau, "Silent Night," with Marilyn Fugitt as Mary and Philip Luke as Joseph; sixth grade, songs, "Lullaby on Christmas Eve" with solo part by Marie Dripps, "Sing Me Now of Christmas" and "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."

The program was directed by the teachers, assisted by Miss Elizabeth Edgar. The children of the school were presented a treat on Friday afternoon.

DEFENDER GETS OFF EASY

By The United Press

BISMARCK, N. D.—Daniel Defender had an excellent record of defending his country in wartime but no defense for operating a car without its owner's consent. Police defended him on the charge and the Fort Yates Indian was given 60 days in jail, a lenient sentence based on his war record.

Churches Plan Yule Programs

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half hour of music. Assembly of God "Me for Christmas," and "The Task" Emmanuel Baptist, "Ten Thousand Talents."

To Sing Carols

Carolers are being planned for next week by various church groups. Tomorrow at 8:30 p. m. the Youth Fellowship of First Evangelical and Reformed church will meet at the church to go caroling. Intermediate Fellowship of Epworth Methodist church will carol Wednesday night at 7 at the Marion county children's home, home for the aged, and shutins. The Business People's class of Calvary Evangelical United Brethren church will carol Thursday night after meeting at the parish house. Young Married Peoples class and Intermediate department of Maranatha church will carol Thursday night. Beginning at 9 on Christmas eve, the Youth Fellowship of Epworth church will carol at City hospital and at homes of shutins. Following a service at Emmanuel Baptist church Friday night, young people will carol at homes of members and friends of the church.

Unique feature of the Christmas observance of Trinity Baptist church will be nightly scenes next week portrayed in front of the church from 7:30 until 9. Tomorrow night there will be carol singing by the young people and program at 7:30 portraying the Christmas story in pictures and songs, interpreted in story form.

Each night following, the "living scenes" will be portrayed with animals as well as people taking part. Varied lighting effects will be used, and amplified music will be played.

Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., the Christmas program of First Pilgrim Holiness church will be presented.

Midnight Mass

Christmas eve services will include the midnight solemn mass of St. Mary Catholic church, with the Very Rev. William J. Spickerman, V. F., pastor, as celebrant, assisted by Rev. Elmer Boyden as deacon and Rev. Hugh Murphy as sub deacon, and sermon by Rev. Spickerman.

Traditional midnight service of St. Paul's Episcopal church with Christmas music will begin at 11. Annual candlelight service of Emanuel Lutheran church will be at 10:45 p. m., with junior and senior choirs taking part and address by the pastor, Rev. M. E. Hollensen.

Candlelighting service of First Evangelical and Reformed church will be earlier in the evening, 7:30, with the entire congregation, three choirs, and the pastor, Rev. E. H. Wierth, participating. A candlelight service of St. Paul English Lutheran church will be at 10:30, with music by an augmented choir. An hour's service, beginning at 8, will be held in Emmanuel Baptist church with Christmas message by the pastor, Dr. C. E. Hershey.

A service at Epworth Methodist church will be held at 8.

At 6:30 a. m. Christmas day, a candlelighting service will be held at Wesley Methodist church.

Christmas day at 10 a. m. holy communion will be observed at St. Paul's Episcopal church.

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Church Briefs

For the final week of the Thanksgiving to Christmas Bible reading period next week, beginning tomorrow, the following New Testament and Old Testament prophecy readings have been announced. Sunday, Mark 4, following through each day with Matthew 5, Matthew 6, Matthew 7, Isaiah 2, verses 1-5, and 9:17, Isaiah 11:1-9 and 40:1-11, and Christmas day, Matthew 2.

Dr. Charles M. Prugh of Heidelberg college at Tiffin will preach at the morning worship hour of Salem Evangelical and Reformed church tomorrow. Miss Edema Koenig will present special numbers.

Emanuel Lutheran church will have tomorrow morning reception of adults into congregational membership, and communion will be celebrated, at the morning worship hour. John Dennis, a "spiritual son of the congregation," student in the seminary at Capital university in Columbus, will serve as lector for the service and assist with communion. Both junior and senior choirs will sing. Christmas potluck supper and gift exchange of the Senior Bible classes will be Tuesday at 6:30 p. m.

Sunshine baskets of the Salvation Army will be distributed tomorrow. Gifts will be awarded Tuesday at 10 a. m. to those who started attending Sunday school in November and December.

Tonight at Epworth Methodist church a Christmas party and treat will be held for the entire Sunday school in the basement rooms. Included in the entertainment will be motion pictures for the children. Youth Fellowship groups will join tomorrow night in the evening white gift service at the church. A fellowship hour at "Our House" will follow. Ernest Lau of China will be a special guest.

Special Christmas offering of Wesley Methodist church will be received at the worship service tomorrow morning. Organizations of the church having Christmas meetings next week include Pathfinders annual dinner at noon tomorrow in the church dining room, Women's Bible class Tuesday night, Far and Near circle Monday night, with mite boxes to be brought.

Annual Christmas party of the Men's Bible class of Salem Evangelical and Reformed church for all members, their families and friends, will be at the church Wednesday night. Santa Claus will be present.

Arrangements have been completed for missionary services at the Maranatha Bible church tomorrow. Rev. Ernest A. Finkenbiner of Bellefontaine, deputation secretary for Christian Missions, Inc., will preach at 10:45 a. m., 2:30 p. m., for the special missionary rally, and at 7:30 p. m. His series of subjects will be on "Jehovah's Preparation," "Jehovah's Pleasure," and "Jehovah's Project." Delegations are expected from several churches of this vicinity at the afternoon rally. Rev. Earl L. Holliday, pastor, announced. Mrs. Alice Pierce will sing, and there will be other special music for the services.

"Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist Sunday. It will have for the Golden Text: "The Lord hath prepared his throne in the heavens; and his kingdom ruleth over all" (Psalms 103:19).

Sermon Topics

First Presbyterian, "Singing and Giving."

Emanuel Lutheran, "I Will Raise Them Up a Prophet Like Unto Thee."

Epworth Methodist, "You, Too, Can See If You Look."

Calvary Evangelical United Brethren, "Good Tidings of Great Joy."

First Evangelical and Reformed, "Eternity Speaks in Time."

Salem Evangelical and Reformed, "His Coming is Triumph."

Wesley Methodist, "No Gift Is Too Small."

Oakland Evangelical United Brethren, "The Sublimest Cause for Rejoicing."

St. Paul's English Lutheran, "Who Is Christ?"

Forest Lawn Presbyterian, "Immanuel—God With Us."

Fite Memorial Baptist, "The Supreme Sacrifice," and "What It Means To Be a Church Member."

Central Christian, "And the Word Was Made Flesh."

Emmanuel Baptist, "The Gifts for the King."

Maranatha, "Jehovah's Preparation," and "Jehovah's Project."

Christian and Missionary Alliance, "Star of Hope," and "The Other Wise Man."

SIGHTSEER. King Frederick of Denmark leans out window of train as he arrives in London for a visit.

Silver St. Pupils In Christmas Program

A special program of Christmas music, playlets and readings was presented by the children of the Silver Street school at a meeting of the school PTA Thursday night. A large crowd of parents and friends of the children were present and holiday decorations were throughout the rooms.

The program was under the direction of Mrs. Grace McGill and Mrs. Esther Hardie, the third grade teachers.

Devotions were conducted by Rev. E. R. Martin, pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist Tabernacle.

The program was as follows: a welcome exercise by Mary Hughes, Robert Persinger, Philip Brothers, Dwight Shifflet, Nancy Miller, Linda Foster and Melvin Colby; an exercise, "What Can They Do?" by Larry Ambrose, Gloria Furniss, Robert Miller, Violet Coykendall and LeRoy Blair; a reading, "A Nice Gran'pa," by Charles Davis; an exercise, "Just Before Christmas," by Robert Miller, Dora Wilson, Donald Flournoy, Judy Calbert, Robert Persinger, Georgia Hoptry and Mary George; a play, "The Christmas Fantasy," by Brenda Campbell, Sharon Rider, Vivian Fowler, Cathy Curtis, Layne Bailey, Tom Mitchell and Wilfred Burnside; an exercise, "Busy Little Maids," by Nancy Pratt, Beverly Mahaffey, Judy Calbert and Georgai Hoptry; a reading, "A Busy Mother," Mary Lee Hughes; a reading, "A Letter to Santa," Dora Wilson; and three chorus selections, "The Other Night," "A Christmas Wish" and "Away in a Manger" by Linda Foster, Violet Coykendall Lolita Stadler, Judy, Calbert, Melvin Colby, George Hoptry, Beverly Mahaffey, Nancy Pratt, Larry Ambrose, Charles Davis, Lucille Simmers, Judy Andrews, Yvonne Stubblefield, Shirley Frazier, Linda Williams, Gail Brammer, Troy Hamm, David Howard, Gerald Saunders and Earl George.

Caledonia Auxiliary Meets at Makeever Home

A meeting of the Auxiliary to Caledonia Post No. 401, American Legion, was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Seth Makeever near Caledonia. Mrs. Edward Cottrell, president, presided for the meeting during which reports of the various committees were given.

Plans were made for the auxiliary to adopt a ward at the Dayton Veterans hospital, and it was announced that a box of candy had been sent to the Chillicothe Veterans hospital. Arrangements were made to send Christmas cards and baskets of fruit to shutins. Hostess for the January meeting will be Mrs. Mary Douce.

Lucy Webb Hayes Circle Entertained

The Lucy Webb Hayes Circle of Epworth Methodist church met at the home of Miss Lela Brookshire on Olney avenue Thursday night. Decorations were in keeping with the holiday season. Mrs. J. W. Young and Miss Lydia Ebel were guests. Mrs. J. W. Young gave a talk on the WSCS and Miss Lydia Ebel gave several Christmas stories. Thirty-seven visitation calls were reported. Devotions were in charge of Mrs. Beulah Cathers and the study was in charge of Mrs. Maude Robinson assisted by several members of the circle. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. Ferne West, Miss DeEmma Hawley, Mrs. Gladys Sloan and Miss Marie Fulton.

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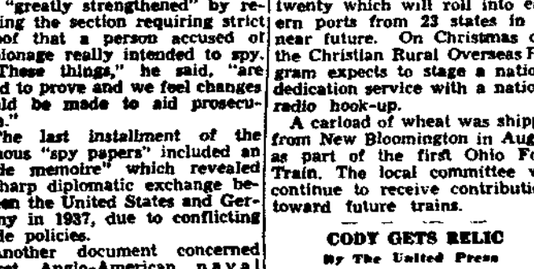

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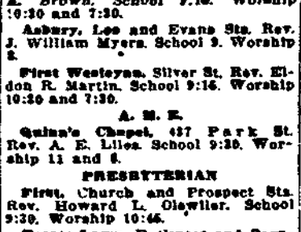

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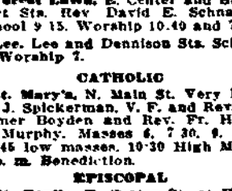

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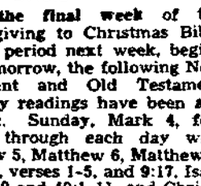

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SESSION IS SET BY GRAND JURY

Seven Cases Now on List for January Court Term Action.

The winter term of the Marion county common pleas court will open Jan. 6 when new County Prosecutor Ralph E Carhart presents a list of criminal cases to the grand jury according to the assignment of cases on the docket of Common Pleas Judge Paul D Smith.

The jury commissioners were instructed to draw a grand jury venire of thirty names with an additional 75 to be called up on the venire for the petit jury. Notification was being served on the prospective jurors today by the sheriff's department.

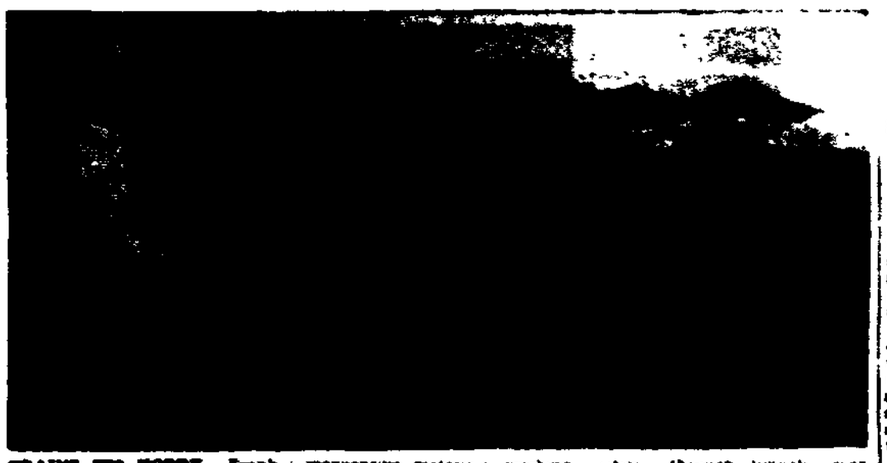
Prosecutor-elect Carhart to date has inherited seven criminal cases bound over since the fall grand jury. They include three larceny, three breaking and entering and one fraud case. In addition, he will inherit the armed robbery case against Sidney Spurlock who may stand trial again for his alleged part in the Wise Super Market hold-up last August. Spurlock was indicted by the fall grand jury tried and found guilty by a petit jury but given a new trial by the court when alleged irregularities on the part of police officers were revealed during trial of the case.

The court's ruling was appealed by James E Reed who seeks to have Judge Smith's ruling for a new trial reversed by the district court. If his appeal is sustained the previously rendered guilty verdict will stand. If not, Spurlock, still in county jail here awaiting the outcome of the contest over the law, will be tried again. His attorneys have indicated they will waive jury and submit to trial by judge.

Bound over since the fall term of the grand jury were the following Robert H Briggs, Forrest Cochran, Bennie Wilson, all breaking and entering, Paul E. Ward, Denny Henderson and Emerson Jiles, larceny and Vernon E. Goff, fraud.

ICELANDER CURIOUS

DENVER—Colorado's ski fans will concede better snow conditions to no other part of the globe, not even Iceland. A card was received asking for a Colorado ski folder and schedule of events for this season. The card was from Kr. Arngrimsson of Reykjavik, Iceland.



TRAINS HIS HOBBY. Frank Palmer of Santa Ana, Calif., stands at control panel which operates trains of his miniature railroad system. He built more than half the system from inexpensive materials, working from blue prints supplied by railroads for duplicating their equipment. Many scale miles of track were used to make a complex pattern around model cities, through tunnels, over bridges and into a railway round house yard complete with turntable. Palmer can run of five or six trains running simultaneously.

SUSPECTED. George Cameron, 54, is pictured in jail at Los Angeles, Calif., after Det. Sgt. Phillip Henneman said he confessed starting three recent major mountain fires in southern California. He was booked on suspicion of arson. Henneman quoted the transient ex-seaman as saying he considered the fires "big shows."

DEATHS and FUNERALS

Mrs. J. L. Cotner

Mrs Clara Annetta Cotner, wife of Joseph L Cotner of Ada and mother of Mrs B E Swope of 291 Marion avenue, died Tuesday at her home, following an illness of four months. Surviving with the husband are four sons and four daughters.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon in the Church of Christ at Ada and burial was made in Wodlawn cemetery there.

Mrs Cotner was a member of Ada Chapter No 6, Order of the Eastern Star, and was a guest at meetings of Lydia Chapter No 83, of Marion, on various occasions.

Glenn H. Koons

BUCYRUS—Services will be held in Tiffin Monday for Glenn H Koons, 69, former Bucyrian who died in Crile Veterans' hospital in Cleveland Friday.

Survivors include his father, Willis D Koons, 93, Bucyrus real estate agent; two sons, Rev Wade Koons of Carey and Charles of Sycamore; a daughter, Mrs Frances John of Columbus, and a sister, Inez Koons of Bucyrus.

Mr. Koons was a real estate agent in Tiffin for many years. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American war.

William A. Stiffler

GALION—William A. Stiffler, 64, retired brickmason of Galion, died at 10:30 p. m. Friday in Bucyrus City hospital. He had been ill six months.

Born Aug 1, 1884, in Morrow county, he was a son of Isaac and Mary Steffee Stiffler. His wife, Mrs. Estelle Cronenwett Stiffler, died six years ago.

Surviving are brothers, Earl Stiffler of Galion and Guy Suffler of Crestline.

Funeral services will be conducted Monday at 3 p. m. in the Snyder funeral home by Rev. H. Leslie MacKay of the Church of the Nazarene. Burial will be in Blooming Grove cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home after 7 tonight.

James Cronin

BUCYRUS—Police and Red Cross authorities continued their efforts today to locate relatives of James Cronin, 46, formerly employed in race horse stables in Marion, Delaware and Bucyrus. Mr. Cronin died Thursday at Oak Ridge Sanitarium at Green Springs, O., where he was taken following release from Bucyrus City hospital this week. Tuberculosis caused his death.

Mr. Cronin had told hospital attaches he was a native of Chippewa Falls, Wis., but contact with Red Cross officials in that city revealed that he was unknown. Fingerprints also have been taken and will be checked with Army records in an effort to locate relatives. The deceased man had told his physician he was a World War II veteran.

For the past few months he had lived at the Crawford County fairgrounds here, where he had assisted in caring for race horses stabled there. He formerly had worked for the Smart Stables in Delaware and the McNamara stables in Marion.

The body is at the Lutz funeral home here.

Mrs. Flora W. Finley

KENTON — Last services for Mrs Flora Wilson Finley of near Kenton will be held 2 p. m. Sunday at the Merl D Hull funeral home here. Burial will be in Grove cemetery.

Mrs Finley died at her residence late Thursday. She was a native of Hardin county, was educated at Ohio Northern university and taught in the Kenton schools 10 years.

Surviving is one sister, Mrs V A Earnest of Columbus.

—Funeral Services—

Harry W. Long—Monday 2 p. m. Curl mortuary, Cardington. Rev. Charles Stroh, burial Glendale cemetery, Cardington. Friends may call at the Long home near Cardington.

Mrs. Mary Fields — Sunday 2 p. m. Richwood Church of Christ, burial Claiborne mausoleum. Friends may call at the Winter funeral chapel, Richwood.

Wyandot County Farmer Ends Life Near Church

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., Dec 18—(INS)—Funeral services were planned today for 48-year-old Glenn Smythe, a Pitt township, farmer, who shot himself to death near Upper Sandusky.

Sheriff B H Stansbery said Smythe took his life with a shotgun at the rear of a church near his home where he had been Sunday school superintendent for many years.

He was active in Farm Bureau work and had been a teacher. The suicide was attributed to ill health, caused by a heart condition.

Dr. J. H Propst, Wyandot county coroner, ruled today Smythe died a suicide.

The average-size tree "drinks" from three to five barrels of water daily during the growing season.

C. OF C. REAFFIRMS POSTOFFICE STAND

Directors Again Go On Record in Regard to New Building.

The board of directors of the Marion Chamber of Commerce yesterday voted to officially reaffirm the statement of Marion's need for a new post office. The need was originally stated by a previous board of directors of the Chamber in 1945.

The present board's affirmation of the need for a new building was given at yesterday's noon meeting at Hotel Harding in answer to a statement of policy requested by the Chamber's affairs committee, who are actively promoting the project.

A postal inspector has already recommended the installation of larger quarters here because of the vast increase of mail traffic which is overtaxing present facilities here.

Affirmation of the 1945 Chamber's stand will assure the continuance of Chamber of Commerce efforts to secure a new office here.

The twelve members of the board of directors, with Chamber President Howard P. Gutney presiding, also approved the auditor's annual financial statement and the report of the annual Chamber presented by Hugh E Webster, executive secretary.

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